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The Honorable Rick Wilborn, Chairperson Senate Committee on Judiciary Statehouse, Room 541-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Wilborn:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 425 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 425 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 425 would make knowingly driving a vehicle that resembles an emergency medical services vehicle a class A nonperson misdemeanor unless the vehicle is being used for other legitimate governmental functions including police and firefighting services. The bill would exempt motor vehicles that resemble emergency medical services vehicles that bear an antique or firefighter license plate.

The Office of Judicial Administration indicates that SB 425 could increase the number of cases filed in district court, which would increase the time spent by district court judicial and nonjudicial personnel in processing, researching, and hearing cases. However, the fiscal effect cannot be estimated because the amount of time that would be required to process, research, and hear the additional cases is unknown. The Board of Emergency Medical Services indicates that SB 425 would have no fiscal effect. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 425 is not reflected in *The FY 2019 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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