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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 50 by Senate Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 50 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, the chairpersons of both the House and Senate Committees on Judiciary serve on the Kansas Commission on Interstate Cooperation. SB 50 would replace the chairperson of the Senate Committee on Judiciary with a member of the Kansas Bar Association who would be appointed by the President of the Senate, with the advice of the chairperson of the Senate Committee on Judiciary. SB 50 would also change the current membership of the Joint Committee on Special Claims Against the State by striking language that requires at least one member of the House of Representatives and one member of the Senate who serve on the Committee to be an attorney.

The Kansas Legislature indicates SB 50 would no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

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cc: Ashley Michaelis, Judiciary Karen Clowers, Legislative Services