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The Honorable Ken Rahjes, Chairperson House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 112-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Rahjes:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2064 by House Committee on Agriculture and Natural

Resources

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2064 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2064 would remove the authorization for the Secretary of Health and Environment to allow a solid waste permit exception for certain activities related to the disposal of solid waste generated by drilling oil and gas wells by land spreading. Other related requirements would also be removed, including an annual report to the Legislature on information concerning the implementation, status, and costs of land spreading procedures and regulation.

According to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) and the Kansas Corporation Commission, the enactment of HB 2064 would not have a fiscal effect on either agency. KDHE reports that there has not been an application for this exception since 2013.

Sincerely,

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