

January 28, 2026

The Honorable Susan Estes, Chairperson
House Committee on Education
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 218-N
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Estes:

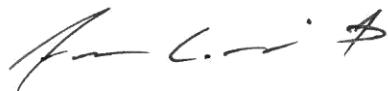
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2487 by House Committee on Education

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2487 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2487 would amend the Kansas Education Opportunity Scholarship Program Act. The bill would define “teacher” and “paraprofessional” for purposes of determining scholarship eligibility. The bill would also clarify existing eligibility criteria for a first-generation student and a student who has a parent employed in Kansas as a teacher or paraprofessional.

The Board of Regents indicates enactment of the bill would have a negligible fiscal effect on agency operations and the postsecondary education system. The Board states any additional administrative duties would be handled within existing resources. The Kansas State Department of Education states that enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect on agency operations or on school districts. The Kansas Association of School Boards indicates the bill’s enactment would not have a fiscal effect on school districts.

Sincerely,



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam C. Proffitt".

Adam C. Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Becky Pottebaum, Board of Regents
Gabrielle Hull, Department of Education
Angie Stallbaumer, Kansas Association of School Boards