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The Honorable Mike Thompson, Chairperson Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 144-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Thompson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 292 by Senate Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 292 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 292 would amend the definition of industrial hemp and hemp products and amend current law to prohibit the transfer of hemp-derived cannabinoid products to any person under the age of 21, excluding cosmetic products. The bill would require the Kansas Department of Agriculture to establish packaging and labeling requirements including child-resistant containers with tamper-evident seals and would prohibit packaging that might appeal to children for such products. The bill would also require the Department to establish laboratory testing and certification for such products. The bill would also make technical amendments related to the proper reference of sections of the bill to ensure consistency and would differentiate legal hemp products from marijuana, which remains a controlled substance in Kansas.

The Kansas Department of Agriculture indicates that the enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect on its operations. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 292 is not reflected in *The FY 2026 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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