



February 10, 2026

The Honorable Virgil Peck, Chairperson
 Senate Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
 300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 144-S
 Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Peck:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 425 by Senate Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

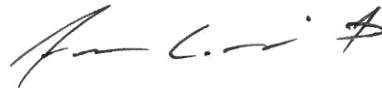
In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 425 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 425 would amend current law to increase the registration fee for each seed wholesaler from a maximum of \$300 to \$400 and increase the registration fee for each seed retailer from a maximum of \$30 to \$50. The bill would require each wholesaler or retailer that was previously registered to pay a late fee of \$25 if registration is renewed after September 1 but before October 1 and a late fee of \$50 if registration is renewed after October 1.

Estimated State Fiscal Effect			
	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Expenditures			
State General Fund	--	--	--
Fee Fund(s)	--	--	--
Federal Fund	--	--	--
Total Expenditures	--	--	--
Revenues			
State General Fund	--	--	--
Fee Fund(s)	--	\$53,085	\$53,085
Federal Fund	--	--	--
Total Revenues	--	--	--
FTE Positions	--	--	--

The Kansas Department of Agriculture (KDA) indicates that the enactment of the bill would increase revenues by \$53,085 in FY 2027 and FY 2028 based on current seed dealer registrations through anticipated fee increases of \$41,560, or 33.0 percent, plus anticipated late fee increases of \$11,525. The KDA anticipates that any expenditure increases caused by the enactment of the bill would be absorbed by existing agency resources. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 425 is not reflected in *The FY 2027 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam C. Proffitt". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "A" and a stylized "P" at the end.

Adam C. Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Lita Biggs, Department of Agriculture