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The Honorable Larry Powell, Chairperson House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources Statehouse, Room 149-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Powell:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2761 by House Committee on Appropriations

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2761 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2761 would update references and corresponding changes related to 2011 Executive Reorganization Order (ERO) Number 40 and the Kansas Department of Agriculture.

HB 2761 is a technical bill that would allow for the necessary updates related to ERO No. 40 which merged the Animal Health Department, the Agriculture Marketing Program, and the State Conservation Commission into the Department of Agriculture. HB 2761 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

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cc: Mark Heim, Agriculture