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The Honorable Ruth Teichman, Chairperson Senate Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance Statehouse, Room 236-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Teichman:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 256 by Senator Kelsey

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 256 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 256 provides clarifying language on who is responsible for entering a satisfaction of mortgage with the register of deeds. A satisfaction of mortgage is a document that is signed by the lender indicating that a mortgage has been fully paid.

The Kansas Association of Counties indicates enactment of SB 256 would have no fiscal effect on the operations of local governments.

Sincerely,

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