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The Honorable Vicki Schmidt, Chairperson Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare Statehouse, Room 552-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Schmidt:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 303 by Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 303 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 303 would give funeral directors the legal authority to hand over unclaimed cremated remains of veterans to the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs or a national veteran's cemetery.

According to the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs and the Board of Mortuary Arts, enactment of SB 303 would have no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,

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cc: Kafer Peele, Veterans Affairs Mack Smith, Mortuary Arts