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The Honorable Mary Pilcher-Cook, Chairperson Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare Statehouse, Room 441-E Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Pilcher-Cook:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 345 by Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 345 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 345 would amend existing law relating to professions regulated by the Kansas State Board of Cosmetology to allow a person who is licensed by another state as a manicurist to be granted a license in Kansas if state requirements are fulfilled. For a person licensed in another state as a cosmetologist, esthetician, or electrologist to be granted a license in Kansas, the bill would require that the person submit verification of completion of the number of training hours necessary for licensure in Kansas, have passed the examinations required by the original licensing body, have a current license, have been licensed for at least five years and have passed the written examination administered by the Board for license renewal.

An applicant who is an active member of any branch of the U.S. military or military reserves, or separated from the military with an honorable discharge or general discharge under honorable conditions or is the spouse of such an individual would be granted a license upon passing the written examination administered by the Board for license renewal. Each licensee or apprentice would be required to display a license in a prominent place in the salon, clinic or school where the holder is employed. Apprentices would be required to obtain a license prior to providing services to consumers in a school, clinic, or other establishment.

The Kansas State Board of Cosmetology (KSBOC) estimates that passage of SB 345 would result in approximately 50 Summary Proceeding Orders being issued for employing or allowing an unlicensed person to provide services. The agency estimates that the average fine

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would be \$250 and costs of issuing the Orders would be minimal and covered by the revenue from the fines. Of the amount collected, \$11,250, or 90.0 percent, would go to the KSBOC and \$1,250, or 10.0 percent, to the State General Fund. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 345 is not reflected in *The FY 2017 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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cc: Laura Gloeckner, Cosmetology