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TESTIMONY BEFORE
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

REGARDING HOUSE BILL 2039
RELATED TO MAKING THE KANSAS AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM INDEPENDENT
OF THE TRANSPORTATION WORKS PROGRAM

FEBRUARY 2, 2017

Mr. Chairman and Committee Members:

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) submits neutral written testimony on House Bill 2039.

KDOT doesn't believe that HB 2039 would cause any major changes to the agency or the existing KAIP program. However, KDOT submits that passage of the bill is not necessary as K.S.A. 75-5061 is independent of the T-WORKS transportation program and the KAIP funding is not tied to T-WORKS.

KDOT is again neutral on the passage of HB 2039. Thank you for allowing us to submit testimony.