

February 15, 2017

The Honorable Daniel Hawkins, Chairperson
House Committee on Health and Human Services
Statehouse, Room 521-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Hawkins:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2304 by Representative Burroughs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2304 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2304 would amend KSA 2016 Supp. 65-508 of the Child Care Act to include additional requirements related to infant safe sleep practices at child care facilities. The bill would prohibit child care facilities from the following:

1. Using soft or loose bedding in sleeping equipment or areas used by infants;
2. Allowing toys or educational devices in sleeping equipment or areas used by infants; and,
3. Placing a child in sleeping equipment or areas not approved by the Secretary of the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE).

The passage of HB 2304 would have no fiscal effect for the Kansas Department for Children and Families or the Kansas Department of Health and Environment because the additional requirements can be implemented within existing resources.

Sincerely,



Shawn Sullivan,
Director of the Budget

cc: Dan Thimmesch, Health & Environment
Jackie Aubert, Children & Families