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The Honorable Molly Baumgardner, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Education  
Statehouse, Room 224-E  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Baumgardner:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 333 by Senate Committee on Education

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 333 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

Under current law, local boards of education are required to provide suicide awareness and prevention programming to school staff, which is known as the Jason Flatt Act. SB 333 would require that the prevention programming be a written plan that would be published on the school district's website and would identify the training materials and the school staff required to participate in the training. The bill would also repeal the one-hour time requirement for each calendar year for staff.

According to the Department of Education, enactment of SB 333 would have no fiscal effect on state aid to school districts. Any costs resulting from the bill would be borne by local school districts.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shawn Sullivan", written over a horizontal line.

Shawn Sullivan,  
Director of the Budget

cc: Dale Dennis, Education