

March 19, 2020

The Honorable Kristey Williams, Chairperson  
House Committee on K-12 Education Budget  
Statehouse, Room 286A-N  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Williams:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2747 by House Committee on K-12 Education Budget

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2747 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2747 would clarify the authority of the State Board of Education to grant waivers to the minimum number of school hours required each school year. The bill would expand the circumstances in which a local board of education could apply for a waiver to the State Board to include conditions restricting the operation of public schools. The bill would also amend the definition of "disaster" to include any declaration of a state of disaster emergency issued by the Governor or the closure of schools by order of the county or joint board of health, a local health officer, or the Secretary of Health and Environment.

HB 2747 would have no fiscal effect on state aid to school districts or the Department of Education.

Sincerely,



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Director of the Budget

cc: Dale Dennis, Education