

March 4, 2021

The Honorable Richard Hilderbrand, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare  
Statehouse, Room 445A-S  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Hilderbrand:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 211 by Senators Steffen and Erickson

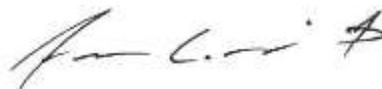
In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 211 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 211 would allow patients to be prescribed prescription drugs approved for “off label use” provided the patient signs a liability waiver that relieves the physician from liability. The bill would become effective upon its publication in the *Kansas Register*.

The Board of Healing Arts estimates the bill would have no fiscal effect on the Board. It is possible that the Board could receive additional complaints, but the Board indicates that any additional workload would be managed within existing resources.

The Board of Pharmacy indicates the bill could result in additional expenditures in the form of staff time and resources to investigate any complaints. However, the Board is unable to estimate those costs.

Sincerely,



Adam Proffitt  
Director of the Budget

cc: Susan Gile, Board of Healing Arts  
Alexandra Blasi, Board of Pharmacy  
Dan Thimmesch, Health & Environment