

February 12, 2024

The Honorable Ken Rahjes, Chairperson
House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 112-N
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Rahjes:

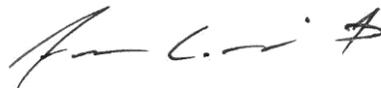
SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2542 by House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2542 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2542 would amend current law pertaining to animal shelters, pounds, and breeding facilities. The bill would update definitions used in the Kansas Pet Animal Act and would provide authority to the Animal Health Commissioner in the Department of Agriculture to ensure best practices for the care and well-being of animals.

The Department of Agriculture and the Board of Veterinary Examiners indicate that the enactment of the bill would not have a fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Adam C. Proffitt
Director of the Budget

cc: Lita Biggs, Department of Agriculture
Mark Olson, Board of Veterinary Examiners