

February 13, 2023

The Honorable Kellie Warren, Chairperson  
Senate Committee on Judiciary  
300 SW 10th Avenue, Room 346-S  
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Warren:

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Note for SB 189 by Senate Committee on Judiciary

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 189 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

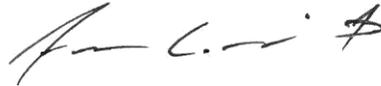
SB 189 would require a hiring agency for a law enforcement position to require a written waiver from anyone applying for a law enforcement position. The waiver would authorize each state or local law enforcement agency that has employed the applicant in a law enforcement position, received an application from the applicant for a law enforcement position, or conducted an employment background investigation on the applicant to disclose the applicant's files to the hiring agency. The bill would add an employment application, background investigations, polygraph or voice stress analysis examination results, and law enforcement-related psychological evaluation reports connected to an application regardless of whether the applicant was ultimately hired to the definition of "files."

The Kansas Highway Patrol indicates enactment of the bill would have a minimal fiscal effect on the agency that could be absorbed within existing resources. The Commission on Peace Officers' Standards and Training and Kansas Bureau of Investigation indicate enactment of the bill would have no fiscal effect on the agency. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 189 is not reflected in *The FY 2024 Governor's Budget Report*.

The Kansas Association of Counties indicates enactment of the bill would have a negligible impact on counties. The League of Kansas Municipalities indicates enactment of the bill may

require cities to assist with providing additional records, but a precise fiscal effect cannot be determined.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam Proffitt". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a distinct flourish at the end.

Adam Proffitt  
Director of the Budget

cc: Sherry Macke, Highway Patrol  
Jay Hall, Kansas Association of Counties  
Doug Schroeder, Peace Officers Standards & Training  
Paul Weisgerber, Kansas Bureau of Investigation  
Wendi Stark, League of Kansas Municipalities