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February 27, 2018

The Honorable Vicki Schmidt, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare
Statehouse, Room 441-E
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Schmidt:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 428 by Senate Committee on Ways and Means

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 428 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 428 would amend KSA 65-527 concerning child care programs serving school age children and youth, including drop-in programs. The provisions would apply to school district buildings, accredited nonpublic schools and public recreation buildings as they relate to children in kindergarten or grades one through 12.

The bill would define the types of facilities and programs affected and recognize the partnership between the licensed programs and the recreation centers and schools that house the programs. The bill would clarify that if a recreation center or school complies with fire and local building codes, a license could not be denied, suspended or revoked based on the building not meeting requirements for licensing due to environmental deficiencies. This would only apply if there are no imminent risks to children and youth, the deficiency is outside the licensee's immediate authority to correct and the applicant or licensee has notified the recreation center or school of the deficiency.

According to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, enactment of SB 428 would have costs related to updating regulation books and training surveyors. These costs would be absorbed as part of normal operating expenses. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 428 is not reflected in *The FY 2019 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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Chief Budget Officer

cc: Dan Thimmesch, Health & Environment