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The Honorable John Barker, Chairperson House Committee on Federal and State Affairs Statehouse, Room 285-N Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Representative Barker:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for HB 2718 by House Committee on Federal and State Affairs

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning HB 2718 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

HB 2718 would prohibit a governing body from adopting or enforcing zoning regulations that would affect the exclusion of federally licensed firearms manufactures, importers, or dealers from entire zoning jurisdictions. The bill would prohibit a governing body from adopting or enforcing zoning regulations that would solely affect federally licensed firearms manufactures, importers, or dealers.

The League of Kansas Municipalities states that enactment of HB 2718 would require cities to review and revise zoning ordinances that currently prevent entities that sell firearms in the city limits. If the number to be reviewed and revised is large, then it could cost cities additional attorney and other legal fees. However, the number of ordinances that would have to be reviewed and revised are unknown and thus a fiscal effect cannot be estimated.

The Kansas Association of Counties and the Office of the Attorney General both state that enactment of HB 2718 would not have a fiscal effect. Any fiscal effect associated with HB 2718 is not reflected in *The FY 2021 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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