

February 18, 2020

The Honorable Mike Petersen, Chairperson
Senate Committee on Transportation
Statehouse, Room 345-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Petersen:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 374 by Senate Committee on Transportation

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 374 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 374 would allow the Superintendent of the Highway Patrol to promulgate rules and regulations to administer the certification process for employees of new vehicle dealers who conduct vehicle identification number (VIN) inspections. The bill would also allow employees of a salvage vehicle pool who have received training and certification from the Patrol to conduct VIN inspections. The Superintendent of the Highway Patrol would also be allowed to revoke, suspend, decline to renew, or decline to issue certification for failure to comply with the Patrol's training and certification requirements. Finally, the bill would allow the Patrol to create rules and regulations to administer the certification process for employees of salvage pools.

The Highway Patrol indicates that it currently uses designees to perform duties similar to those described in the bill. The agency states that enactment of the bill would have a no fiscal effect.

Sincerely,



Larry L. Campbell
Director of the Budget

cc: Sherry Macke, Highway Patrol