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The Honorable Mike Thompson, Chairperson Senate Committee on Utilities Statehouse, Room 548-S Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Senator Thompson:

SUBJECT: Fiscal Note for SB 480 by Senate Committee on Utilities

In accordance with KSA 75-3715a, the following fiscal note concerning SB 480 is respectfully submitted to your committee.

SB 480 would prohibit public utilities from recovering dues, donations, and contributions to charitable or social organizations and events from consumers through rates and charges as of July 1, 2022. The bill would require the Kansas Corporation Commission to disallow such expenditures as of July 1, 2022, for the purpose of determining reasonable rates, joint rates, tolls, and charges.

The Kansas Corporation Commission and the Office of Judicial Administration state that the bill would not have a fiscal effect on operations expenditures or revenues. Any fiscal effect associated with SB 480 is not reflected in *The FY 2023 Governor's Budget Report*.

Sincerely,

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cc: Peter Barstad, KCC Vicki Jacobsen, Judiciary