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LB 369

Revision: 00

FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT - STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)								
	FY 201	13-14	FY 2014-15					
_	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE				
GENERAL FUNDS								
CASH FUNDS								
FEDERAL FUNDS								
OTHER FUNDS								
TOTAL FUNDS								

Any Fiscal Notes received from state agencies and political subdivisions are attached following the Legislative Fiscal Analyst Estimate.

This bill would require licensed service providers for services to probationers and parolees as prescribed.

The Nebraska Department of Correctional Services (NDCS) states that the additional duties required under this bill could be absorbed by current Parole staff. See the NDCS response following for additional details.

The Supreme Court estimates that cash fund expenditures for services could decrease due to the reduction in providers. The audit provision could have a fiscal impact if Probation Administration is to determine a provider's financial solvency and capacity because the Supreme Court does not have the staff to analyze the audits. The Supreme Court's response follows and provides additional details.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES-STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSES						
LB: LB 369 AM: AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Department of Correctional Services (046)						
REVIEWED BY: Joe Wilcox DATE: February 4 th , 2013 PHONE: (402) 471-4178						
COMMENTS: Concur with agency analysis that any fiscal impact of LB 369 could be absorbed within current resources by						
the Department of Correctional Services.						

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES-STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSES						
LB: LB 369	LB: LB 369 AM: AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Supreme Court (005)					
REVIEWED BY: Joe Wilcox DATE: February 5 th , 2013 PHONE: (402) 471-4178						
COMMENTS: The Supreme Court fiscal note for LB 369 makes no clear estimate of fiscal impact on the Supreme Court. No						
basis to evaluate the agency analysis.						

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: (2)			Nebraska Department of Correctional Services (NDCS)					
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ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION								
		FY 20	013-14	FY 2014-15				
EXPENDITURES		<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>REVENUE</u> <u>EXPENDITU</u>		<u>REVENUE</u>			
GENERAL FUNDS 0		0	0		0			
CASH FUNDS								
FEDERAL FUNI	OS							
OTHER FUNDS								
TOTAL FUNDS 0		0	0		0			
Return by date specified or 79 hours prior to public hearing, whichever is earlier								

Return by date specified or 72 hours prior to public hearing, whichever is earlier. Explanation of Estimate:

With the current co-operative efforts between Probation and Adult Parole Administration, many of the same service providers are used for Probationers and Parolees. Currently Probation tracks the licensing and credentials of the providers. Assuming that Probation would pick up the additional tracking requirements, Adult Parole would continue to be responsible for tracking the Sex Offender service providers. These duties could be absorbed by current APA staff.

MA	JOR OBJECT	S OF EXPENDI	ΓURE	
Personal Services:				
	NUMBER OF	POSITIONS	2013-14	2014-15
POSITION TITLE	<u>13-14</u>	<u>14-15</u>	EXPENDITURES	EXPENDITURES
Benefits				
Operating				
Travel				
Capital outlay				
Aid				
Capital improvements				
TOTAL			0	0

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State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: (2)		Supreme Court			
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CASH FUNDS					
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OTHER FUNDS					
TOTAL FUNDS			·		
Return by date spe	cified or 72 hours prior to public	hearing, whichever is ear	lier.		

Explanation of Estimate:

LB 369 will significantly reduce the number of service providers who although meet the current licensing standards do not meet the standards contained in LB 369. It is estimated that cash fund expenditures for services will decrease, at least in the short term, due to the reduction in providers. The amount of the decrease cannot be estimated, at this time, due to several factors. For example, it is possible that providers that do meet the standards may increase their level of services to cover areas of Nebraska that would be without providers.

Note: It is assumed that provision of an annual independent audit will have no additional fiscal impact. If it is assumed that, once provided, a determination must be made by the administrator of the provider's financial solvency and capacity, there would be a fiscal impact since the Supreme Court does not have staff to analyze the audits.

MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE							
Personal Services:							
POSITION TITLE	NUMBER OF <u>13-14</u>	F POSITIONS 14-15	2013-14 EXPENDITURES	2014-15 EXPENDITURES			
Benefits							
Operating							
Travel							
Capital outlay							
Aid							
Capital improvements							
TOTAL							