

**FISCAL NOTE**  
**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE**

<b>ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)</b>				
	<b>FY 2021-22</b>		<b>FY 2022-23</b>	
	<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>REVENUE</b>	<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>REVENUE</b>
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.**

LB 409 prohibits electric suppliers from beginning or continuing construction on any transmission line project that extends two hundred or more miles or expends any funds relating to such project from the effective date of the act until January 1, 2023.

The Executive Board shall appoint a special committee to be known as the Electric Transmission Line Study Committee of the Legislature. The Committee shall examine the following:

1. The need and necessity for construction of long-distance transmission lines;
2. The process of routing transmission lines;
3. The sufficiency of statutory and regulatory requirements;
4. Customer and ratepayer interests;
5. Private property rights; and
6. Preservation of historical, cultural, and ecological resources.

The Committee shall report its findings and recommendations electronically to the Legislature on or before December 15, 2022. The committee shall terminate on December 31, 2022.

The Power Review Board would need to seek injunctive relief in certain circumstances. However, the provisions of the bill would make such situations rare.

No fiscal impact.

<b>ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY &amp; POLT. SUB. RESPONSE</b>			
LB: 409	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Nebraska Power Review Board	
REVIEWED BY: Lucas Martin	DATE: 01/21/2021	PHONE: (402) 471-4181	
COMMENTS: No basis to disagree with the Power Review Board's assessment of no to minimal fiscal impact.			

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**2021**

**LB<sup>(1)</sup> 409**

**FISCAL NOTE**

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: <sup>(2)</sup> Nebraska Power Review Board

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**ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION**

	<u>FY 2021-22</u>		<u>FY 2022-23</u>	
	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
CASH FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
FEDERAL FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
OTHER FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL FUNDS	=====	=====	=====	=====

**Explanation of Estimate:**

No fiscal impact. Although the bill would authorize the Power Review Board (the Board) to seek injunctive relief in certain circumstances, the provisions of the bill are limited to transmission line projects that extend 200 miles or more in length. Such projects are rare, and public power districts generally have a history of complying with the Board's orders or directives without the need for further action. It is therefore anticipated that if there were any fiscal impact it would be minimal.

**BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE**

**Personal Services:**

<u>POSITION TITLE</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POSITIONS</u>		<u>2021-22</u>	<u>2022-23</u>
	<u>21-22</u>	<u>22-23</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Benefits.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Operating.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Travel.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Capital outlay.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Aid.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Capital improvements.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL.....	_____	_____	_____	_____