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**LB 1048**

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# FISCAL NOTE

## LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

Updated for all amendments adopted to date.

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2010-11		FY 2011-12	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS	35,000	35,000	35,000	35,000
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	35,000	35,000	35,000	35,000

\*Does not include any impact on political subdivisions. See narrative for political subdivision estimates.

LB 1048 allows for certain entities to apply to the Power Review Board for approval for a facility that will generate electricity using solar, wind, biomass, landfill gas, or methane gas. The applicant shall remit an application fee of five thousand dollars (\$5,000). Any portion of the fee that is not used to cover the board's incurred expenses associated with the application and hearing process shall be returned to the applicant.

The Power Review Board estimates seven such applications per year. This would generate \$35,000 in fee related revenue. Assuming the full amount of the fee is utilized to cover the board's expenses, a corresponding expenditure level of \$35,000 per year is also identified. There is no basis to disagree with the board's estimate of seven applications per year nor the dollars associated with the application and hearing process. These estimates appear to be reasonable.

Based on all amendments adopted to date, the Department of Revenue estimates no General Fund impact associated with the provisions of LB 1048.

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COMMENTS			
NEBRASKA POWER REVIEW BOARD: I concur.			