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**LB 230**

Revision: 00

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

<b>ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES</b> (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	<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.**

This bill prohibits discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity in public accommodations and in housing.

This bill will increase the workload of the Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission. The volume of filings is unknown. The number is expected to be manageable within current agency resources. There is no fiscal impact.

<b>ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY &amp; POLT. SUB. RESPONSE</b>		
<b>LB: 230</b>	<b>AM:</b>	<b>AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission (67)</b>
REVIEWED BY: Joe Wilcox	DATE: 01/19/2021	PHONE: (402) 471-4178
COMMENTS: No basis to dispute the Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission (NEOC) estimate of potential Fiscal Impact to the Agency from LB 230, though the Agency estimates it can absorb, at least initially, any impact from this bill within existing resources.		

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**FISCAL NOTE**

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: <sup>(2)</sup> Equal Opportunity Commission

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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:**

The language in this bill will expand the number of individuals authorized to file a charge with the NEOC under the housing law and public accommodations law. These new charge bases should not negatively affect our receipt of federal HUD funds for these cases as we currently investigate similar bases under our agreement with HUD. There is the potential for increased case load for public accommodations, for which we have no federal partner and the cost of investigating these cases comes solely from our State funds. Any increase in public accommodations cases could change the mix of cases completed for which we receive reimbursement under agreements with EEOC and HUD. However, currently we assess the NEOC to be capable of absorbing the additional charges with our current staff and resources.

**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.....	_____	_____	_____	_____