

FISCAL NOTE
 LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	FY 2023-24		FY 2024-25	
	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.

LB642 directs the Nebraska Adjutant General of the Nebraska Military Department to invite all members of the Nebraska National Guard, whom were negatively affected by the previous U.S. Department of Defense Covid-19 vaccine mandate, to reenlist.

The Nebraska Adjutant General is to give preference, without sanction to those members of this reenlisting group, whom before the U.S. Department of Defense Covid-19 vaccine mandate took effect; were awaiting a promotion, an award or commendation, reassignment to a position of greater responsibility, issuance of orders to attend a necessary career progression military school, or any other favorable personnel action that was pending but disrupted or delayed by the their Covid-19 vaccination status.

This bill orders the Nebraska Adjutant General to restore any members not discharged to duty, without unfavorable personnel actions, if such members were not discharged because of their refusal to take the Covid-19 vaccine, but rather were placed in a non-active-duty statuses and unable to participate in active duty for trainings or weekend drills while these members waited for their final determination of continued membership in the Nebraska National Guard because of their Covid-19 vaccination status.

Also, LB642 instructs the Nebraska Adjutant General to change the service records for members who choose to remain discharged and not reenlist to indicate an honorable discharge, rather than indicating these members were discharged or otherwise separated with a characterization of general discharge under honorable conditions.

In addition, LB642 compels the Nebraska Adjutant General to submit a report to the Legislature detailing the progress the Nebraska Military Department has made in implementing LB642, no later than May 1, 2025. The report may include public testimony at the request of the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee of the Legislature.

The Nebraska Military Department has indicated no fiscal impact from LB642.

There is no basis to disagree with this estimate.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE		
LB: 642	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Nebraska Military Department (031)
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COMMENTS: Do not disagree with the Nebraska Military Department estimate of No Fiscal Impact to the Agency from LB 642.		

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LB⁽¹⁾ 642

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State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: ⁽²⁾ Nebraska Military Department

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ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	<u>FY 2023-24</u>		<u>FY 2024-25</u>	
	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
CASH FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
FEDERAL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
OTHER FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Estimate:

The Nebraska Military Department will have no fiscal impact from LB642.

BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

Personal Services:

<u>POSITION TITLE</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POSITIONS</u>		<u>2023-24</u>	<u>2024-25</u>
	<u>23-24</u>	<u>24-25</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>
N/A	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
N/A	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Benefits.....			\$0	\$0
Operating.....			\$0	\$0
Travel.....			\$0	\$0
Capital outlay.....			\$0	\$0
Aid.....			\$0	\$0
Capital improvements.....			\$0	\$0
TOTAL.....			\$0	\$0