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FISCAL NOTE
 LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2007-08		FY 2008-09	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

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

This bill will change provisions relating to assault by a confined person and create an offense of assault on an officer using bodily fluids.

The Nebraska State Patrol (NSP) and the Nebraska Supreme Court (NSC) estimate no fiscal impact from the provisions of this bill.

The Department of Correctional Services (DCS) states that in calendar year 2005 there were 85 instances of body fluid exposure to DCS employees at the hands of incarcerated inmates. DCS notes that inmates could serve additional time in prison under the provisions of this bill. This could result in additional inmate transfers to court for prosecution, and some additional staff and travel time. However, DCS notes that the impact is not anticipated to be significant and the operational costs could be absorbed. The overall impact of adding additional time to the sentence of inmates convicted of these offenses is indeterminate.

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COMMENTS			
SUPREME COURT – No fiscal impact. STATE PATROL – No fiscal impact.			