

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

<b>ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES</b> (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	<b>FY 2016-17</b>		<b>FY 2017-18</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 788 amends the Professional Landscape Architects Act.

The bill makes a number of changes to the Act including: changes to definitions; clarifications on board membership; requires the board office to be in Lincoln; maintenance of a roster of professional landscape architects; establish fees of no more than \$300 for applications, initial certificates of licensure, and renewals; limits amount of expenditures to equal that of revenues; details on eligibility for licensure; requirements for a seal and use of that seal; specifics on renewal of a license; enforcement of the act; provides penalties for unlicensed practice of the profession or false representation; specifics on complaints against any person under the board’s jurisdiction; ability to impose a civil penalty of not more than \$10,000; exceptions from the Act; requirements for the landscape architect intern; and requirements for a coordinating professional.

The bill outright repeals the following sections of statute:

- 81-8,184.01 Intent.
- 81-8,185 Licensed required; display of certificate of licensure; current certificate holder; how treated.
- 81-8,187 Members; term.
- 81-8,188 Board; members; vacancies.
- 81-8,195 Applications for licensure; statements; fee.
- 81-8,197 Applicants; examinations.
- 81-8,200.01 Certificates of licensure; renewal; professional development requirements.
- 81-8,200.02 Professional development programs; rules and regulations.
- 81-8,201 License without examination; when; fee.
- 81-8,203 Warrants for payment of expenses and compensation; issuance.

The bill has no fiscal impact to the state.