

FISCAL NOTE
 LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	FY 2021-22		FY 2022-23	
	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.

This bill would change penalties for theft offenses. It states that the enhancement provision shall only be used if the prior conviction was within 15 years of the current offense.

The Department of Correctional Services (DCS) states that this bill could decrease the number of persons in prison, but the specific impact is indeterminable.

If the impact of this bill is to decrease the prison population by more than current law, then this could have an impact on prison overcrowding. The average daily prison population was 145% of design capacity as of December 2020.

If the impact of this bill is to decrease the prison population, then DCS could save on per diem costs. The FY20 per diem cost for an individual inmate was \$10,180 per year, which includes DCS inmates in county jails.

The Supreme Court estimates a minimal fiscal impact.

The Board of Parole estimates no significant impact from this bill.

This bill also impacts misdemeanor penalties and this could impact county jails because misdemeanor sentences are generally served in county jails if jail time is imposed. If the impact of this bill is to decrease the number of people serving time in county jails by more than current law, this could result in a savings to counties.

Both the misdemeanor and felony penalties under this bill also carry the possibility of a fine being imposed. Any fines assessed pursuant to convictions will accrue to the county where the violation occurs to be used for the support of public schools. This bill has the possibility of reducing the amount of fines imposed, but any such reduction is unknown at this time.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE		
LB: 319	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Nebraska Department of Correctional Services (46)
REVIEWED BY: Joe Wilcox	DATE: 01/22/2021	PHONE: (402) 471-4178
COMMENTS: No basis to dispute the Nebraska Department of Correctional Services (NDCS) estimate of Indeterminate Fiscal Impact to the Agency from LB 319.		

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE		
LB: 319	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Nebraska Board of Parole (15)
REVIEWED BY: Joe Wilcox	DATE: 01/19/2021	PHONE: (402) 471-4178
COMMENTS: No basis to dispute the Nebraska Board of Parole estimate of No Significant Fiscal Impact to the Agency from LB 319.		

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LB⁽¹⁾ 319

FISCAL NOTE

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: ⁽²⁾ Nebraska Department of Correctional Services

Prepared by: ⁽³⁾ Lisa Stanton Date Prepared: ⁽⁴⁾ 01/15/2021 Phone: ⁽⁵⁾ (402)479-5702

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:

LB 319 changes penalties for theft offenses. The bill could reduce the number of persons in prison. The specific amount of impact is indeterminable.

As of December 2020, the average daily prison population (ADP) was 145% of Design capacity. The FY20 per diem cost is \$27.89 for each inmate, or \$10,180 per year.

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.....	_____	_____	_____	_____

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LB⁽¹⁾ 319

FISCAL NOTE

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: ⁽²⁾ 05 Supreme Court

Prepared by: ⁽³⁾ Eric Asboe Date Prepared: ⁽⁴⁾ 2/21/2021 Phone: ⁽⁵⁾ 402-326-9215

ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	<u>FY 2021-22</u>		<u>FY 2022-23</u>	
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Explanation of Estimate:

Minimal fiscal impact to provide judicial education. No additional resources required.

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Capital outlay.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Aid.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Capital improvements.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL.....	_____	_____	_____	_____

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LB⁽¹⁾ 319

FISCAL NOTE

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: ⁽²⁾ _____

Prepared by: ⁽³⁾ Rosalyn Cotton Date Prepared: ⁽⁴⁾ January 15, 2021 Phone: ⁽⁵⁾ 402 479-5731

ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	<u>FY 2021-22</u>		<u>FY 2022-23</u>	
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Explanation of Estimate:

No significant impact on budget related to LB 319

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TOTAL.....	_____	_____	_____	_____