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LB 443

Revision: 00

FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	FY 2025-26		FY 2026-27	
	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.

LB 443 establishes legal framework to address unlawful squatting in Nebraska. The bill creates a precise definition of unlawful squatting. It states that a person commits this offense by entering and residing on someone else's property with the intent to claim ownership or otherwise appropriate it without the owner's consent.

The bill also provides a penalty framework. It states If the individual fails to appear with the necessary documentation or if the documentation is found to be invalid, they become subject to arrest. Upon conviction for this offense, they would be charged with a Class I misdemeanor.

The Supreme Court has stated that LB 443 will have a minimal fiscal impact and will not require any additional resources.

County Law enforcement could see a potential fiscal impact but the impact will be minimal.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE			
LB: 443	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Supreme Court	
REVIEWED BY: Jacob Leaver	DATE: 2/28/2025	PHONE: (402) 471-4173	
COMMENTS: Concur with the Supreme Court's estimate of minimal fiscal impact as a result of LB 443.			

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE			
LB: 443	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Omaha Police Department	
REVIEWED BY: Jacob Leaver	DATE: 2/4/2025	PHONE: (402) 471-4173	
COMMENTS: No basis to dispute the Omaha Police Department's estimated fiscal impact as a result of LB 443. The amount shown could be absorbed under their current budget. <u>Technical Note:</u> The General Funds reflected in the fiscal note are not the State of Nebraska's General Funds.			

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FISCAL NOTE

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: ⁽²⁾ Omaha Police Department

Prepared by: ⁽³⁾ D/C S. Cervený #1521 Date Prepared: ⁽⁴⁾ 1/27/25 Phone: ⁽⁵⁾ 402-444-5861

ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	<u>FY 2025-26</u>		<u>FY 2026-27</u>	
	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS	\$1,000		\$1,000	
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

Explanation of Estimate:

LB 443: Unlawful Squatting. The Omaha Police Department would anticipate a need to print 'warning citations' required by this bill for 1st offenses. The estimated annual cost for '1st offense, unlawful squatting citations' would be approximately \$1,000.

BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

Personal Services:

<u>POSITION TITLE</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POSITIONS</u>		<u>2025-26</u>	<u>2026-27</u>
	<u>25-26</u>	<u>26-27</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>
Benefits.....				
Operating.....				
Travel.....				
Capital outlay.....				
Aid.....				
Capital improvements.....				
TOTAL.....				

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FISCAL NOTE

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

Prepared by: ⁽³⁾ Eric Asboe Date Prepared: ⁽⁴⁾ 2/27/2025 Phone: ⁽⁵⁾ 402-326-9215

ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	<u>FY 2025-26</u>		<u>FY 2026-27</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:

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

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Personal Services:

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Benefits.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Operating.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Travel.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Capital outlay.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Aid.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
Capital improvements.....	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL.....	_____	_____	_____	_____