

# 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.

LB277 provides a procedure for investigating deaths that occur while a person is being apprehended by, or in the custody of, law enforcement. Under the bill, a special prosecutor with significant criminal litigation experience—rather than the local county attorney—must oversee the investigation. The special prosecutor assembles a team of three outside peace officers to conduct the investigation. During grand jury proceedings, any officers or detention personnel involved in the incident may not return to duty until the proceedings have concluded. If a qualified physician certifies that the death resulted solely from natural causes, the grand jury may proceed without requiring a special prosecutor or an outside investigative team.

The Supreme Court has stated that LB 277 will have a minimal fiscal impact and will not require any additional resources.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE			
LB: 277	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Supreme Court	
REVIEWED BY:	Jacob Leaver	DATE: 3/14/2025	PHONE: (402) 471-4173
COMMENTS: Concur with the Supreme Court's estimate of minimal fiscal impact as a result of LB 277.			

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE			
LB: 277	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Commission on Public Advocacy	
REVIEWED BY:	Jacob Leaver	DATE: 1/21/2025	PHONE: (402) 471-4173
COMMENTS: Concur with the Commission on Public Advocacy's estimate of no fiscal impact as a result of LB 277.			

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: <sup>(2)</sup> Nebraska Commission on Public Advocacy

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Date Prepared: <sup>(4)</sup> 01/16/2025

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ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	FY 2025-26		FY 2026-27	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
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OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

Explanation of Estimate:  
No fiscal impact.

BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

Personal Services:				
POSITION TITLE	NUMBER OF POSITIONS		2025-26	2026-27
	25-26	26-27	EXPENDITURES	EXPENDITURES
Benefits.....				
Operating.....				
Travel.....				
Capital outlay.....				
Aid.....				
Capital improvements.....				
TOTAL.....				

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: <sup>(2)</sup> 05 Supreme Court

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Date Prepared: <sup>(4)</sup> 3/13/2025

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ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

	FY 2025-26		FY 2026-27	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
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TOTAL FUNDS				

Explanation of Estimate:

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

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