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LB 632

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.

This bill requires health care facilities to provide for disposal of remains following an elective abortion via cremation, by interment by burial, or if neither option is feasible as directed by the Board of Health. The bill declares it unlawful to deposit or dispose the matter in any other manner. The bill does not establish any criminal penalties. The Department of Health and Human Services indicates system updates would be required and the costs can be absorbed by the agency. No fiscal impact.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE			
LB:	632	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services
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COMMENTS: Concur with the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services' assessment of fiscal impact.			

ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

State Agency or Political Subdivision Name:(2) Department of Health and Human Services

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	<u>FY 2025-2026</u>		<u>FY 2026-2027</u>	
	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Return by date specified or 72 hours prior to public hearing, whichever is earlier.

Explanation of Estimate:

LB632 requires a health care facility, at which an elective abortion has been performed, to provide for the individual a choice of cremation or interment by burial regarding the remains of the aborted unborn child. In cases where cremation or interment by burial is not possible, directions will be provided by the Board of Health.

Vital Records may need to update the Electronic Registration System (ERS) to accept electronic signature for cremation permits on the abortion portion of the ERS.

This will require 240 hours of development work at a cost of approximately \$16,800. The Department will absorb these costs.

MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

<u>PERSONAL SERVICES:</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POSITIONS</u>		<u>2025-2026</u>	<u>2026-2027</u>
	<u>POSITION TITLE</u>	<u>25-26</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>
Benefits.....				
Operating.....				
Travel.....				
Capital Outlay.....				
Aid.....				
Capital Improvements.....				
TOTAL.....			\$0	\$0