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FISCAL NOTE
LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2010-11		FY 2011-12	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS	13,000	13,000	13,000	13,000
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	13,000	13,000	13,000	13,000

*Does not include any impact on political subdivisions. See narrative for political subdivision estimates.

LB 254 would require, beginning May 1, 2010, that aerial pesticide applicators obtain a Nebraska aerial pesticide business license. The Department of Agriculture would be the licensing entity; the license fee would be \$100, although the director of the Department of Agriculture would be allowed to increase the applicator license fee up to \$150. Fee revenue would be deposited in the Pesticide Administrative Cash Fund.

There is no basis to disagree with the Department of Agriculture estimate that 120 instate and 10 out-of-state applicators would be licensed under the act, resulting in \$13,000 in revenue. The agency would use existing staff to administer the program and would expend the revenue to develop application forms and conduct program enforcement. It is estimated that the existing cash fund expenditure authority of the Department of Agriculture is sufficient to absorb the expenditures required to implement this program.

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COMMENTS					
No basis to disagree with Department of Agriculture's analysis and estimate of increased cash fund expenditures and revenue fiscal impact.					