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LB 607

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FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *					
	FY 2007-08		FY 2008-09		
_	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	
GENERAL FUNDS					
CASH FUNDS					
FEDERAL FUNDS					
OTHER FUNDS					
TOTAL FUNDS					

LB 607 requires a city of the first class with a population greater than thirty-eight thousand people to pay and employ a fill-time chief of the fire department and full-time firefighters, using National Fire Protection Associations Standard 1710 as a guideline.

While this bill results in no fiscal impact to the state, there will clearly be costs associated for those cities of the first class with populations greater than 38,000 people. According to the Nebraska Blue Book (2004-2005), this will include Bellevue and Grand Island. The costs will vary from one city to another, depending on salaries offered, benefits provided, the number of firefighters hired, and any operational costs which might be incurred.

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COMMENTS						
STATE FIRE MARSHAL – No fiscal impact.						

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