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**LB 189**

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# FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

<b>ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *</b>				
	<b>FY 2011-12</b>		<b>FY 2012-13</b>	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS	See Below		See Below	
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

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

LB189 creates the Criminal Offender Employment Act to give criminal offenders or ex-convicts the opportunity to secure public employment.

LB189 indicates that there shall be no question or checkbox regarding the applicant's criminal record on an initial application for public employment. There appears to be no fiscal impact as a result of this provision.

LB189 also provides that certain criminal records shall not be used, distributed, or disseminated in connection with an applicant for public employment. The State Patrol has indicated an increase in cost because records would have to be sanitized prior to dissemination. The State Patrol has indicated that this would increase the amount of processing time needed, as well as increased man hours to accomplish the task. The Patrol is estimating an additional 1 manpower hour for each request. There were 21,267 requests in 2009.

**DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**

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<b>COMMENTS</b>			
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES: No basis to dispute agency analysis relative to the Department of Administrative Services. UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA: No basis to dispute agency analysis for the University of Nebraska. LANCASTER COUNTY: No basis to dispute analysis for Lancaster County.			