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LB 55

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FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2011-12		FY 2012-13	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

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

LB 55 updates an internal reference so the 2009 International Energy Conservation Code is used as the standard of requirements that new buildings shall meet or exceed. The existing reference is to the 2003 code.

The updated requirements may pose higher costs for new construction and major renovation projects. Since this would affect future project costs, any additional expenditure will simply be part of those projects and, therefore, not included in this fiscal note.

The Energy Office estimates no costs associated with the bill's provisions. However, the Energy Office has obtained several grant awards related to educating the building industry regarding the 2009 code provisions. The bill's provisions open the Energy Office's ability to utilize this Federal and Cash funding.

The Energy Office included these grants in their biennial budget request, therefore no additional appropriation is required.

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

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COMMENTS			
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES: I have no reason to disagree with Administrative Services' statement. NEBRASKA ENERGY OFFICE: I have no basis to disagree with NEO's statements.			