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**LB 277** 

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## **FISCAL NOTE**

## LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT - STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)										
	FY 2017-18		FY 2018-19							
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE						
GENERAL FUNDS	805,000		161,000							
CASH FUNDS										
FEDERAL FUNDS										
OTHER FUNDS										
TOTAL FUNDS	805,000		161,000							

Any Fiscal Notes received from state agencies and political subdivisions are attached following the Legislative Fiscal Analyst Estimate.

LB 277 changes provisions related to precinct size by requiring that precincts shall not contain less than seventy-five (75) nor more than one thousand (1,000) registered voters. Current law caps the number of registered voters at one thousand seven hundred fifty (1,750).

The Secretary of State estimates this will create an additional 230 precincts. Each precinct may or may not be its own polling place, but every polling place is required by federal law to have a method for voters with disabilities to vote without assistance. The Secretary of state would need to acquire ExpressVote machines, at a cost of \$3,500 each. Purchasing a minimum of one per new precinct would cost \$805,000. Ongoing maintenance is estimated at \$161,000 per year.

There is no basis to disagree with these estimates.

ADMINSTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSES						
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COMMENTS: No basis to disagree with Nebraska Secretary of State's Office's assessment of fiscal impact based on the assumption that every newly created precinct would also act as a polling place.						

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805,000

TOTAL.....

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State Agency OR Political	Nebraska Secretary of State's Office						
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Benefits						-	
Operating						161,000	
Travel							
Capital outlay					805,000		
Aid							
Capital improvements							