## LB 245 FISCAL NOTE

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FUND EXPENDITURE REVENUE

General \$75,000

Cash Federal Revolving

TOTAL 1991-92 \$75,000 TOTAL 1992-93 \$125,000 TOTAL 1993-94 \$15,000

LB 245 creates the Nebraska Schools Accountability Commission consisting of fourteen members. The Commission is required to identify broad state goals for learner outcomes and develop a method of measuring student progress toward the state goals for learner outcomes. Section 3 of the bill states that it is the intent of the Legislature to provide funding necessary to implement the recommendations of the Commission. Section 4 authorizes the Commission to employ professional consultants. Section 5 provides intent language that \$75,000 of General Funds will be appropriated for 1991-92, \$125,000 of General Funds will be appropriated for 1992-93 and \$15,000 of General Funds will be provided for 1993-94. The Commission terminates on July 1, 1994.

The actual fiscal impact of the bill is dependent upon the recommendations of the Commission. It is possible that the recommendations may necessitate more or less funding than the intent language of the bill authorizes. There may also be on-going future funding commitments after 1993-94 depending upon the method established to measure student progress.

<u>DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION</u>: Section 5 of LB 245 includes specific General Fund appropriations of \$75,000 for FY91-92; \$125,000 for FY92-93 and \$15,000 for FY93-94.

<u>UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA</u>: (1/30/91) - No fiscal impact to the University.

<u>DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</u>: (2/1/91) - No fiscal impact to Department of Economic Development.