

**FISCAL NOTE**  
**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE**

<b>ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES</b> (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	<b>FY 2015-16</b>		<b>FY 2016-17</b>	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

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

LB 248 changes provisions related to school bus operators. The bill prohibits school bus drivers from using any type of interactive wireless communication device whenever the vehicle is in motion. Dispatch communication devices are allowed.

The State Department of Education will need to revise a rule to exclude the use of these devices. The estimated cost for rule revision is \$650. It is assumed the department can handle the revision with existing resources of the agency.

The penalty for violating these provisions is assumed to be not more than \$100 for a first offense, not more than \$200 for a second offense within one year, and, not more than \$300 for a subsequent offense in any one year. Any fines assessed pursuant to the bill will accrue to the political subdivision where the penalty is incurred for use by the public schools. It is assumed the revenue received from fines will be minimal.

<b>ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES-STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY &amp; POLT. SUB. RESPONSES</b>			
LB:248	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. Education	
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COMMENTS: Concur			

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**2015**

**LB<sup>(1)</sup> 248**

**FISCAL NOTE**

State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: <sup>(2)</sup> Education

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**ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION**

	<u>FY 2015-16</u>		<u>FY 2016-17</u>	
	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS	\$650			
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$650</b>			

Explanation of Estimate:

Passage of LB 248 would require a revision to Rule 91.

Expenditures are due to costs to publish a hearing notice in the Omaha World Herald and printing costs for the new Rule.

**BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE**

Personal Services:

<u>POSITION TITLE</u>	<u>NUMBER OF POSITIONS</u>		<u>2015-16</u>	<u>2016-17</u>
	<u>15-16</u>	<u>16-17</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>
Benefits.....				
Operating.....			\$650	
Travel.....				
Capital outlay.....				
Aid.....				
Capital improvements.....				
<b>TOTAL.....</b>			<b>\$650</b>	