

**EXECUTIVE AGENCY
FISCAL NOTE**

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: February 18, 2015

Agency Submitting: Nevada Department of Education

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2014-15	Fiscal Year 2015-16	Fiscal Year 2016-17	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

This measure establishes the State Seal of Biliteracy Program to recognize pupils who have attained a high level of proficiency in one or more languages in addition to English. The Department of Education will designate the existing ACCESS (English Language Proficiency) assessment to qualify students whose primary language is not English and develop the design of the State Seal of Biliteracy to be affixed to the diploma with existing resources. This seal can then be transmitted electronically to participating school districts to be printed on those diplomas for the students who qualify. Therefore, as written this bill has no fiscal impact on the Department of Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION'S COMMENTS

The agency's response appears reasonable.

Date Tuesday, February 17, 2015

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