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FISCAL NOTE

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Bill No.: SCS for SB 284
Subject: Education, Elementary and Secondary; Elementary and Secondary Education
 Dept.; Education, Higher; Higher Education Dept.; Disabilities
Type: Original
Date: March 14, 2001

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

This fiscal note contains 3 pages.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTIONS

In response to a previous version of this proposal, officials from the **Department of Higher Education, Southwest Missouri State University, Truman State University, the University of Missouri, and the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education** assume this proposal would have no fiscal impact on their organizations.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2002 (10 Mo.)	FY 2003	FY 2004
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2002 (10 Mo.)	FY 2003	FY 2004
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

This proposal would revise the treatment of American Sign Language in Missouri higher education institutions. American Sign Language would be recognized as a language, and higher education institutions would be allowed to accept proficiency or training in American Sign Language in place of foreign language study requirements.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

University of Missouri
Department of Higher Education
Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
Southwest Missouri State University
Truman State University

NOT RESPONDING

Central Missouri State University



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