# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

### **FISCAL NOTE**

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 0662-07

Bill No.: HCS for SCS for SB 161

Subject: Education, Elementary and Secondary; Elementary and Secondary Education

Dept; Teachers; Children and Minors; Religion

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: April 11, 2005

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
<b>Local Government</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	

#### FISCAL ANALYSIS

### **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Department of Elementary and Secondary Education** indicated this proposal would have no fiscal impact on their agency or on school districts.

Officials from the **Kansas City** and the **Saint Louis School Districts**, in response to the introduced version of this proposal, stated this proposal would have no fiscal impact on their respective school districts.

Officials from the **Nixa** and the **Parkway School Districts** assume there would be little or no fiscal impact resulting from this proposal legislation.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2006 (10 Mo.)	FY 2007	FY 2008
	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2006 (10 Mo.)	FY 2007	FY 2008
	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

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### FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

### **DESCRIPTION**

This proposal states that the board of directors of any school district shall not be prohibited from allowing any teacher or administrators to read or post in public school buildings any excerpt from a specified list of documents and verses related to American and Missouri history and patriotism. The proposed legislation prohibits censorship of any of the specified items based on religious content or reference.

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**

Department of Elementary and Secondary Education School Districts:

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