COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
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FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 3451-01
Bill No.: Perfected HB 956
Subject: Agriculture and Animals, Education, Elementary and Secondary, Soil Conservation
Type: Original
Date: March 11, 2004

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on Otherl 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 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on All Federal Funds	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Local Government	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Missouri House of Representatives** and the **Missouri Senate** assume this proposal would have no impact on their organizations.

Although they did not respond to our request for information, officials from the **Office of Secretary of State**, in response to a similar proposal in the prior session, assumed no fiscal impact.

In response to a similar proposal in the prior session, officials from the **Department of Agriculture**, the **Department of Natural Resources**, and the **Department of Elementary and Secondary Education,** assumed there would be no fiscal impact from the proposal.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
	$0	**$0**	**$0**

FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
	$0	**$0**	**$0**

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

DESCRIPTION

This proposal would designate the native grass known as "Big Bluestem" (Andropogon gerardii) as Missouri's official state grass.

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

Missouri House of Representatives
Missouri Senate

NOT RESPONDING

Office of the Secretary of State

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