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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR:	Pinto	DATE TYPED:	02/01/00	HB	
SHORT TITLE:	Services For Incarcerated Native Americans			SB	204
				ANALYST:	Trujillo

APPROPRIATION

Appropriation Contained		Estimated Additional Impact		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY00	FY01	FY00	FY01		
	\$ 145.0			Recurring	GF

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates HB209

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Corrections Department (CD)

Juvenile Parole Board

No response from:

Office of Indian Affairs

Adult Parole Board

Children Youth and Families Department (CYFD)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 204 provides \$145.0 in general fund for services for culturally competent counselors and advisors for Native American juvenile and adults incarcerated in state facilities.

Significant Issues

SB204 provides a \$145.0 general fund appropriation to the Corrections Department (CD) without specifying whether the counseling is only for juveniles within the adult facilities or whether it also includes counseling for those juveniles under the supervision of the Children, Youth and Families Department.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

This bill appropriates \$145.0 in general fund.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

CD reports the administrative impact would be minimal.

CONFLICT/DUPLICATION/COMPANIONSHIP/RELATIONSHIP

Duplicates HB209.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

CD indicates SB204 should specify what juveniles are to be served by the bill.

The Juvenile Parole Board indicates juvenile facilities are not under CD but under CYFD. Funding may have to be separate or divided between the two agencies.

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

CD reports they have no authority over juveniles being supervised by CYFD, CD would have no way of implementing counseling for juveniles outside the adult facilities.

CD suggests specifying that CD is only responsible for those juveniles who are incarcerated in the department's correctional facilities and not those juveniles supervised by CYFD.

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