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# FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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### **APPROPRIATION**

Appropriation Contained		<b>Estimated Additional Impact</b>		Recurring	Fund
FY04	FY05	FY04	FY05	or Non-Rec	Affected
	\$50.0			Recurring	GF

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

# **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

LFC Files

Responses Received From
New Mexico Public Education Department (PED)
SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 56 creates the New Mexico Education Fund to consist of appropriations by the legislature, gifts, grants and donations. The fund is to be administered by PED.

### Significant Issues

Senate Bill 56 directs the PED to contract for services to support an annual high school civics program focusing on New Mexico state government for boys and girls. This would be a weeklong program and housed at an institution of higher learning.

#### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Senate Bill 56 appropriates \$50.0 from the general fund and is recurring.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS**

PED would administer the funding and monitor the program results.

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