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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 01/23/13

SPONSOR Anderson LAST UPDATED _____ HB 16

SHORT TITLE Raise Awareness of USS New Mexico Submarine SB _____

ANALYST Chenier

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY13	FY14		
	\$50.0	Nonrecurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Department of Military Affairs (DMA)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 116 appropriates \$50 thousand from the general fund to the DMA for expenditure in FY14 to raise awareness of the USS New Mexico submarine. The bill will recognize the top sailors of the USS New Mexico crew each quarter, recognize the top sailor of the year, educate the people of New Mexico about the mission of the submarine, and sponsor visits of the crew to New Mexico. Unexpended funds will revert to the general fund at the end of FY14.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

House Bill 16 appropriates \$50 thousand to the DMA's operating budget from the general fund and the DMA will administer the funds for the Navy League.

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

The people of New Mexico will not be aware of the Submarine USS New Mexico and the crews will not be able to visit the State of New Mexico.

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