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**AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2025 REGULAR SESSION**

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**SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION**

*{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}*

**Date Prepared:** 1/28/2025 *Check all that apply:*  
**Bill Number:** SB146 Original  Correction   
 Amendment  Substitute

**Sponsor:** Sen. Pope & Rep. Sarinana **Agency Name and Code:** Department of Military Affairs  
**Short Title:** Educational Opportunity for Military Children **Number:** 70500  
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**SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT**

**APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)**

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26		
0	0	NA	NA

(Parenthesis ( ) indicate expenditure decreases)

**REVENUE (dollars in thousands)**

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26	FY27		
0	0	0	NA	NA

(Parenthesis ( ) indicate revenue decreases)

**ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)**

	FY25	FY26	FY27	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	0	NA	NA

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:  
Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

### **SECTION III: NARRATIVE**

#### **BILL SUMMARY**

Synopsis: An act relating to military children; correcting a reference to a United States code provision in the interstate compact on educational opportunity for military children. Bill would amend § 11-8B-1 NMSA 1978 to strike the verbiage of “Sections” of 10 U.S.C. and replace with “Chapters” 1209 and 1211 respectively.

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS** – No Fiscal Impact (NFI).

**SIGNIFICANT ISSUES** – The language of this bill does not include Title 32 New Mexico National Guard Active Guard and Reserve members (which are active-duty full time duty status members).

**PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS** – The agency supports correcting reference requirements to the United States code in relation to interstate compacts for educational opportunities for military children.

**ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS** – None Noted.

**CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP** – None Noted.

**TECHNICAL ISSUES** – None Noted.

**OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES** – None noted.

**ALTERNATIVES** – None noted.

**WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL** – Status quo remains.

**AMENDMENTS** – Recommend the bill be amended to include: A. "active duty" means full-time duty status in the active uniformed service of the United States, including members of the National Guard and Reserve on active-duty orders pursuant to 10 U.S.C. and Title 32 New Mexico National Guard members on Active Guard and Reserve (AGR) status.