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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 01/21/13

SPONSOR Campos LAST UPDATED _____ HB _____

SHORT TITLE Special Temporary Fishing Licenses SB 106

ANALYST McCoy

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY13	FY14		
NFI	NFI		

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Department of Game and Fish (DGF)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 106 (SB106) extends the privilege of purchasing a discounted temporary special fishing license for use on the boy scouts of America property, or Philmont Scout Ranch, to any citizen under the age of eighteen. Current statute only includes the ages 14 to 17, but currently youths under the age of eighteen take part in fishing programs at Philmont Scout Ranch, but cannot take advantage of the special license fee.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

According to the Department of Game and Fish any revenue lost from scouts currently paying the full fee will be offset by new purchases by scouts who would not have purchased a license due to the higher fee; therefore, there is no fiscal impact to the department.

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

In order to participate in fishing programs that are taught at the Philmont Scout Ranch, scouts under the age of fourteen will be required to pay a higher fishing license fee than their older counterparts.

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