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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR	Keller & Trujillo, CP	LAST UPDATED	01/27/14	НВ		
SHORT TITL	E Higher Ed. Equity	Investment in Developm	nent	SB	60	
			ANAL	YST	Armstrong	

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropr	iation	Recurring	Fund	
FY15	FY16	or Nonrecurring	Affected	
NFI				

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

<u>Responses Received From</u> Higher Education Department (HED)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 20 amends Section 22-1-38 NMSA 1978 to provide that each post-secondary institution's board of finance regulations regarding comprehensive investment policies for the institution's endowment fund shall include equity investments for in-state economic development pursuant to the "Anti-Donation Clause" of the NM Constitution. While current law does not require investment policies to address "equity investments for in-state economic development," such policies or investments are not precluded.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

No fiscal impact.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

HED, as the state agency charged with financial oversight of post-secondary educational institutions, will be responsible for overseeing whether boards have adopted policies consistent with SB 60.

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