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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR:	Russell	DATE TYPED:	02/04/00	HB	254
SHORT TITLE:	Extend Lottery Scholarship Eligibility			SB	
				ANALYST:	Pacheco-Perez

APPROPRIATION

Appropriation Contained		Estimated Additional Impact		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY00	FY01	FY00	FY01		
	NA				

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

REVENUE

Estimated Revenue		Subsequent Years Impact	Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY00	FY01			
	Indeterminate			Lottery Tuition Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Revenue Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Commission on Higher Education (CHE)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

This bill amends the lottery tuition scholarship program modifying the current law by providing that students who begin a specified term of religious missionary service or complete service with the U.S. armed forces are eligible for the award.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The CHE cautions when adding additional groups of students to the program because, given the projected

number of eligible students under current law and anticipated transfers from the Lottery, future scholarship expenditures outpace revenues.

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