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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 2/19/07

SPONSOR Campos LAST UPDATED _____ HB 1154

SHORT TITLE Lobbyist Filing Fees SB _____

ANALYST Wilson

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

| Estimated Revenue | | | Recurring or Non-Rec | Fund Affected |
|-------------------|--------|--------|-------------------------|------------------|
| FY07 | FY08 | FY09 | | |
| | \$84.2 | \$84.2 | Recurring | General Fund |

(Parenthesis () Indicate Revenue Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From
 Attorney General's Office (AGO)
 Secretary of State (SOS)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 1154 amends NMSA Section 2-11-3 of the Lobbyist Regulation Act to raise the annual filing fee for lobbyists from \$25.00 to \$100.00 for each of the lobbyist's employers.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The revenues will be \$75 times the number of employers of lobbyists who are currently registered at the SOS. Using information from the SOS, it is estimated that the revenue increase will be approximately \$84.225 per year, minimally.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

This will have no administrative impact on the SOS as they are already collecting fees from lobbyists.

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