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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR:	Madalena	DATE TYPED:	01/27/00	HB	209
SHORT TITLE:	Services For Incarcerated Native Americans			SB	
				ANALYST:	Trujillo

APPROPRIATION

Appropriation Contained		Estimated Additional Impact		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY00	FY01	FY00	FY01		
	\$ 145.0			Recurring	GF

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Companion to SB 204

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files.

Corrections Department

Did not receive responses from:

Office of Indian Affairs

Adult Parole Board

Children Youth and Families

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

SB209 appropriates \$145.0 in general fund to the Corrections Department (CD) to provide counselors and advisors for spiritual counsel of Native American juveniles and adults incarcerated in state facilities.

Significant Issues

CD reports the appropriation does not specify whether the counseling is only for juveniles within adult facilities or whether it also includes counseling for those juveniles under the supervision of Children Youth and Families.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

SB 204 appropriates \$145.0 in general fund. CD reports the appropriation should provide for services to adequately contract for the necessary counselors to meet the provisions of the bill.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

CD reports the administrative impact to the agency would be minimal.

CONFLICT/DUPLICATION/COMPANIONSHIP/RELATIONSHIP

HB209 is a companion to SB204

TECHNICAL ISSUES

HB 209 should specify what juveniles are to be served by the bill.

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

According to CD, because the CD has no authority over juveniles being supervised by Children, Youth and Families Department, the CD would have no way of implementing counseling for juveniles outside from adult facilities.

CD suggests CD only be responsible for those juveniles who are incarcerated in the department's correctional facilities and not those juveniles supervised by the Children, Youth and Families Department.

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