

NOTE: As provided in LFC policy, this report is intended for use by the standing finance committees of the legislature. The Legislative Finance Committee does not assume responsibility for the accuracy of the information in this report when used in any other situation.

Only the most recent FIR version, excluding attachments, is available on the Intranet. Previously issued FIRs and attachments may be obtained from the LFC office in Suite 101 of the State Capitol Building North.

FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR:	Stell	DATE TYPED:	2/3/00	HB	HJM 21
SHORT TITLE:	Implement Noxious Weed Control Program			SB	
				ANALYST:	Lockwood

APPROPRIATION

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

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Relates to HB 213

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Commission on Higher Education (CHE)

Department of Agriculture (DOA)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

HJM 21 requests the Department of Agriculture and the soil and water conservation districts to implement a noxious weed program to protect New Mexico's environment and economy.

Significant Issues

The CHE reports the 1998 legislature enacted the Noxious Weed Act and provided an \$85.0 appropriation to begin a noxious weed program.

RELATIONSHIP

House Bill 213 proposes to appropriate \$500.0 to implement the program.

AL/prr