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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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SHORT TITI	L E Rej	p. Stephen Easle	ey, In Memory		SB	

ANALYST Sandoval

<u>APPROPRIATION</u> (dollars in thousands)

Appropr	iation	Recurring	Fund Affected
FY14	FY15	or Nonrecurring	
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SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Memorial 59 remembers State Representative Stephen Easley for his integrity, intelligence, compassion and exceptional public service.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

No fiscal impact.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

State Representative Stephen Easley, a first term legislator for 2013 from district 50, passed away on August 14, 2013.

Representative Easley received a bachelor of arts in Spanish from Purdue University in 1973, a master of arts in 1975, and a doctor of philosophy in 1982 in biological anthropology from Washington University. He was passionate about the preservation of New Mexico's clean air, water and land and a firm believer that his civic duty was to "pay it forward" and participate in government to better the lives of future New Mexicans.

Representative Easley was described by colleagues as "brilliant" "impressive" and "upbeat." He is survived by his wife Sue, two daughters, and two granddaughters.

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A copy of HM 59 will be sent to the family of Representative Stephen Easley.

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