

*Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note***NO FISCAL IMPACT****Drafting Number:** LLS 14-0555**Prime Sponsor(s):** Rep. Wright

Sen. Ulibarri

Date: January 23, 2014**Bill Status:** House SVMA**Fiscal Analyst:** Alex Schatz (303-866-4375)**SHORT TITLE:** PROHIBIT STATE AID TO NDAA INVESTIGATIONS**Summary of Legislation**

This bill prohibits state agencies and political subdivisions of the state, as well as their employees, from assisting any of the armed forces of the United States in the enforcement of the National Defense Authorization Act of 2012 (NDAA). Specifically, state and local governments shall not assist with Section 1021 of the NDAA, pertaining to detention of members of, and those lending assistance to, certain international terrorist organizations if such assistance would violate the United States Constitution, the Colorado Constitution, or any law of the state. The bill exempts the Colorado National Guard, the Civil Air Patrol, and agencies involved in certain joint assignments with federal law enforcement.

Assessment

The bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact. No Colorado state or local government, including law enforcement agencies, have a present role investigating, prosecuting, or detaining international terrorist groups. The fiscal note assumes that government employees act lawfully and in compliance with constitutional and statutory directives. For these reasons, current state and local government revenue and expenditures are unaffected by the bill.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect upon signature of the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature.

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