

**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE  
FISCAL NOTE**

**BILL NO.** Senate Bill 248

**PRINTER NO.** 212

**AMOUNT**

\$31,328,000

**FUND**

General Fund

**DATE INTRODUCED**

February 7, 2019

**PRIME SPONSOR**

Senator Browne

**DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE OF BILL**

Senate Bill 248 provides for the Commonwealth's non-preferred appropriation to the University of Pennsylvania for Fiscal Year 2019-20.

The bill specifies \$31,039,000 shall be provided for Veterinary Activities and \$289,000 for the Center for Infectious Disease, and payments are to be made on a quarterly basis.

The legislation is scheduled to take effect July 1, 2019, or immediately, whichever is later.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Senate Bill 248 will cost the Commonwealth \$31,328,000 in Fiscal Year 2019-20. The appropriation level represents level funding when considering the current (2018-19) fiscal year's budget.