FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION



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Bill Title: Relating to water.

Government Unit(s) Affected: Water Resources Department

Summary of Fiscal Impact

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

The measure directs the Water Resources Department to adopt a process for contested case hearings related to water use applications, including protest procedures and timelines. The measure also establishes associated fees for participating in contested case hearings.

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Further Analysis Required

Measure: HB 3544 - A