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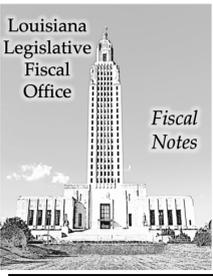
Fiscal Note On: **HB** **362** HLS 25RS 556

Bill Text Version: **ENROLLED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Dept./Agy.: Secretary of State			
Subject: Chief Protocol Officer		**Analyst:**	Kimberly Fruge

SECRETARY OF STATE   EN NO IMPACT   See Note   Page 1 of 1
Provides that the secretary of state is the chief protocol officer of the state

Proposed law requires the Secretary of State to act as the Chief Protocol Officer of the state; provides that the secretary seek appropriate contacts with other officials in nations with which the state has or desires to have active trade, cultural, or educational relations; provides that the secretary help facilitate the interchange of ideas and contacts for the betterment of commerce, cultural exchange, or educational studies between such nations and the state.

EXPENDITURES	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	2029-30	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Ded./Other	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Federal Funds	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Local Funds	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Annual Total	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**
REVENUES	**2025-26**	**2026-27**	**2027-28**	**2028-29**	**2029-30**	**5 -YEAR TOTAL**
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Federal Funds	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Local Funds	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Annual Total	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. Proposed law requires the Secretary of State to act as the Chief Protocol Officer of the state. The department indicates that the secretary will be able to perform such functions with existing resources.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate	Dual Referral Rules	House	
☐	13.5.1 >= $100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}	☐	6.8(F)(1) >= $100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
☐	13.5.2 >= $500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}	☐	6.8(G) >= $500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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