

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **SB 270** SLS 18RS 199

Bill Text Version: **ENROLLED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

Date: May 22, 2018	1:33 PM	Author: CARTER, T.
Dept./Agy.: Secretary of State		Analyst: Colleen Gil
Subject: Withdrawl of Candidates		

ELECTION CODE

EN NO IMPACT See Note

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Provides relative to withdrawal of candidates. (gov sig)

Present law provides that a candidate in a primary election may withdraw from the election by filing notice of his withdrawal with the Secretary of State prior to 4:30 p.m. on the seventh day after the close of the qualifying period. Present law provides that the notice of withdrawal will be signed by the candidate and duly acknowledged by him before an officer authorized to administer oaths. Proposed law provides notwithstanding present law, if there are only two candidates remaining in a primary or general election for a public office, the Secretary of State, will accept a notice of withdrawal that is filed prior to 4:30 p.m. on the second day prior to the election. Proposed law provides that the candidate remaining after the withdrawal is declared elected by the people.

EXPENDITURES	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	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	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

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

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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