

## LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE Fiscal Note

Fiscal Note On: **SB 69** SLS 202ES 149

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Opp. Chamb. Action:
Proposed Amd.:
Sub. Bill For.:

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**Dept./Agy.:** Public Service Commission

Subject: Emergency Prepardness

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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS EN SEE FISC NOTE SD RV See Note Page 1 of 1 Provides relative to emergency service plans of certain providers. (gov sig) (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (Items #2 and #38)

Proposed legislation requires cable service providers and video service providers, on or before 6/1/21, to annually prepare and submit an emergency service plan to the Public Service Commission (PSC) to include a provider's emergency preparedness and response plan to an emergency or disaster. Providers are also required to review their plan on an annual basis and any revisions to the plan shall be submitted to the PSC before the following June 1st. The PSC is required to review the plan to determine compliance and shall certify a provider's compliance or noncompliance to the director of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (GOHSEP), the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs, and the House Committee on Commerce. Any provider not in compliance with this section shall be subject to a civil fine not to exceed \$1,000 for the first violation and not to exceed \$5,000 for any subsequent violations. Effective December 1, 2020.

EXPENDITURES	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	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>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	SEE BELOW					
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>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total						

## **EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on the expenditures of the Public Service Commission as a result of the proposed legislation. The proposed requirements of the PSC can be absorbed within their current operating budget.

## **REVENUE EXPLANATION**

There may be an increase in revenues to the PSC to the extent that any cable service and/or video service provider is found to be in violation of the proposed legislation and is assessed a fine. The fine for a first violation is not to exceed \$1,000 and any fines subsequent violations may not exceed \$5,000.

<u>Senate</u> 13.5.1 >=	<u>Dual Referral Rules</u> \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}	House $6.8(F)(1) >= $100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}$	Alan M. Boderger
	\$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}	6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}	Alan M. Boxberger Staff Director