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VOTING/MACHINES

Fiscal Note On: **HB 671** HLS 22RS

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For .:

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Dept./Agy.: Department of State

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Subject: Report of Voting Machine Testing

Provides for testing of voting machines prior to election

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<u>Present law</u> requires the Secretary of State to prepare the voting machines for the election by placing them in order, inserting the proper ballot, and testing and adjusting the machines for the election. Each machine will produce a test vote report. <u>Proposed law</u> requires the Secretary of State to submit the test vote report and certification of the testing to the Parish Board of Election Supervisors for inspection and review.

EG NO IMPACT See Note

EXPENDITURES	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	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	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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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 submit the test vote report, produced through the testing of voting machines, and the certification of such testing to the Parish Board of Election Supervisors for their inspection and review.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

<u>Senate</u> 13.5.1 >=	<u>Dual Referral Rules</u> \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}	House $6.8(F)(1) >= $100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}$	Evan	Brasseaux
13.5.2 >=	\$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee	6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase	Evan Brasseaux Interim Deputy Fiscal Officer	