

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE**  
**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **HR 277** HLS 24RS 4893

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

<b>Date:</b> May 28, 2024	5:39 PM	<b>Author:</b> MCFARLAND
<b>Dept./Agy.:</b> Department of Transportation and Development		<b>Analyst:</b> Kimberly Fruge
<b>Subject:</b> Public Contracts to Disadvantaged Business Entities		

PUBLIC CONTRACTS

EG NO IMPACT See Note

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To urge and request the La. Dept. of Transportation and Development to study best practices for letting of public contracts to disadvantaged business entities and to report recommendations for legislative changes to implement such best practices. Proposed resolution requests the Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) to study the ways in which state laws relative to disadvantaged business entities or similar programs may conflict with federal standards and best practices. Proposed resolution urges DOTD to report findings and recommendations for proposed legislation to bring the state statutes into conformity with best practices established by the federal government to the House Committee on Appropriations and the Senate Committee on Finance.

EXPENDITURES	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Annual Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

  

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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. Proposed resolution requests DOTD to study best practices relative to public contracts for disadvantaged business entities or similar programs and report their findings and recommendations to the House Appropriations Committee and the Senate Finance Committee. DOTD reports that any potential costs associated with a such study can be absorbed within their current operating budget.

**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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