

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



Fiscal Note On: **SB 178** SLS 13RS 204

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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<b>Dept./Agy.:</b> Secretary of State		<b>Analyst:</b> Evelyn McWilliams
<b>Subject:</b> Voter Registration		

VOTERS/VOTING

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Requires the placement of voter registration application forms at certain retailers selling firearms.(gov sig)

The proposed legislation provides for availability of voter registration cards by firearm retailers who register with the Secretary of State to receive voter registration information and procedures. Effective upon signature of the governor.

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>	<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>5 -YEAR TOTAL</b>
State Gen. Fd.	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
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	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>
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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

The proposed legislation could result in an increase in state general fund expenditures for the Secretary of State's Office. This bill requires the Secretary of State to make voter registration forms available at firearm retailers who register with the Secretary of State. The need for additional funding is dependent on the number of firearms retailers who elect to register with the Secretary of State. If a larger number of retailers elect to register, an additional \$12,500 will be required, of which \$10,000 will provide for computer programming modifications to track the voters registering at such entities and \$2,500 will provide for printing and mailing voter registration applications. If the number of firearm retailers electing to register is small, no additional funding is required as the Secretary of State will be able to track the voter registration information coming from such retailers with existing resources.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

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

<u>Senate</u>	<u>Dual Referral Rules</u>	<u>House</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}		<input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F) >= \$500,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S}
<input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}		<input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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