

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 155** HLS 14RS 799

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Supplemental Pay	

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Provides with respect to supplemental pay for certain officers

Proposed law requires any P.O.S.T.-certified law enforcement officer employed on a full-time basis by DPS&C, Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries, division of probation and parole, or any retired state police officer who transfers or begins employment with any other law enforcement agency shall receive credit for prior service with the agencies listed above for the purpose of satisfying the one year of service requirement to receive supplemental compensation.

EXPENDITURES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	
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	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	
Annual Total						
REVENUES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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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

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

The proposed legislation may result in an indeterminable increase in state general fund expenditures as a result of certain state law enforcement officers receiving credit for prior service if they transfer to any local law enforcement agency (municipal police or deputy sheriff). It is unknown how many state law enforcement officers will transfer to any local law enforcement agency. However, for each officer that does transfer and receives credit for prior service (at least 1 year), the officer working for a local law enforcement agency would receive \$500 per month in supplemental pay. The annual cost would be \$6,000 (12 months x \$500 supplemental pay per month) for each officer that transfers from a state law enforcement agency to any local law enforcement agency.

Local governments will be responsible for providing the additional retirement and Medicare payments for municipal police and deputy sheriffs receiving supplemental pay. This percentage ranges from 30%-35% depending upon the retirement system to which the individual is contributing.

NOTE: To the extent a state law enforcement officer does transfer to a local law enforcement agency, a savings may occur for the department that employed the officer if the position is not filled, which could offset any increase in state supplemental pay.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

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| <u>Senate</u> | <u>Dual Referral Rules</u> | <u>House</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S} |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H} | | | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F)(2) >= \$500,000 State Rev. Red. {H & 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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