# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

#### FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 5059-02

Bill No.: SCS for SB 1048

Subject: Licenses - Motor Vehicle; Revenue Department.

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: March 13, 2006

# **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Highway Funds	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
<b>Local Government</b>	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)

### **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

#### **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Department of Transportation (MoDOT)** state the proposal would result in a decrease in revenue. MoDOT states they are unable to provide an estimate for this proposal, therefore, must rely upon the Department of Revenue.

Officials from the **Department of Revenue (DOR)** state they have re-evaluated the proposal and anticipate that the impact will be minimal.

Based on the response from DOR and the change in the committee substitute from the original bill, **Oversight** will assume there will be a minimal loss of revenue (under \$100,000) to the various funds that receive registration fees. The current distribution of fees goes 75% - Highway, 15% - Cities and 10% - Counties.

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FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
HIGHWAY FUNDS			
<u>Loss</u> - Refund of unused portion of registration fees (75%)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO HIGHWAY FUNDS	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
CITIES AND COUNTIES	(10 Mo.)		
<u>Loss</u> - Refund of unused portion of registration fees - cities (15%)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)
<u>Loss</u> - Refund of unused portion of registration fees - counties (10%)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO CITIES AND COUNTIES	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)

# FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

## **DESCRIPTION**

This proposal allows a motor vehicle owner to receive a refund for the unused portion of a registration fee, provided such unused portion is in an amount of five dollars or greater, when the owner sells the motor vehicle and does not replace it with another. Under the current law, persons can receive credit for unused portion of a registration fee if they cannot transfer their license plates to a newly acquired vehicle due to a change of vehicle category.

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# <u>DESCRIPTION</u> (continued)

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

# **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

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