COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 0229-01 <u>Type</u>: Original

Subject: Courts; Elections; Constitutional Amendments

Bill Summary: This proposal requires actions challenging initiatives and referendums to

be fully adjudicated more than fifty-six days prior to the election in which

the measure will appear on the ballot.

State Fiscal Highlights

• No direct fiscal impact on the state is anticipated.

Local Fiscal Highlights

• No direct fiscal impact on local political subdivisions is anticipated.

Fiscal Analysis

Officials at the **Office of the Attorney General** assume any potential costs arising from this proposal can be absorbed with existing resources.

Officials at the **Office of the State Auditor**, the **Office of State Courts Administrator**, and the **Office of the Secretary of State** assume there is no fiscal impact to their respective organizations from this proposal.

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal. Also, this legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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