COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 1512S.01I Bill No.: SB 488

Subject: Banks and Financial Institutions; Department of Commerce and Insurance;

Mortgages and Deeds; Insurance - General; Property, Real and Personal

Type: Original

Date: January 9, 2025

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies the definition of "certified funds" for purposes of a

statute regulating the use of certain funds by real estate settlement agents and

title insurance agents.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028		
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on General					
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0		

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028		
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on Other State					
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0		

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028		
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on All Federal					
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0		

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026 FY 2027 FY 2028				
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on FTE	0	0	0		

☐ Estimated Net Effect (expe	enditures or reduced revenue	es) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any
of the three fiscal years after	er implementation of the act	or at full implementation of the act.

☐ Estimated Net I	Effect (savings	or increased	l revenues) e	xpected to	exceed \$250,0	00 in any of
the three fiscal	years after imp	olementation	of the act or	at full im	plementation of	the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED FY 2026 FY 2027 FY 2028					
Local Government \$0 \$0					

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Commerce and Insurance** assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their organization.

Oversight notes that the above mentioned agency has stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their organization. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note.

FISCAL IMPACT – State Government	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT – Small Business

Small business real estate settlement agents and title insurance agents could be impacted by this proposal.

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

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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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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