COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 3221-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: HB 884

<u>Subject</u>: Insurance - Automobile; Insurance - General; Insurance - Property; Insurance

Dept.

<u>Type</u>: Original

Date: January 8, 2004

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Insurance Dedicated	\$0 to \$14,500	\$0	\$0	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0 to \$14,500	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated				
Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Insurance (INS)** state some insurers may be required to file new underwriting guidelines based on this proposal. There are currently 290 licensed insurance companies that write private passenger auto insurance. The fee per filing new guidelines with the INS is \$50. The INS has estimated the revenue range would be from \$0 to \$14,500 (290 insurers X \$50), depending on the number of companies who choose to write this type of coverage. Revenues would be one-time, deposited in the Insurance Dedicated Fund.

This proposal may increase Total State Revenue.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON INSURANCE DEDICATED FUND	<u>\$0 to \$14,500</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Income - Department of Insurance Policy form filing fees	\$0 to \$14,500	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
INSURANCE DEDICATED FUND	(10 Mo.)		
FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007

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	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

Small businesses opting to purchase the optional insurance rider may be impacted by this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

This proposal allows insurers to offer comprehensive and collision automobile coverage as an optional rider to an uninsured motorist policy.

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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