COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 3236-06

Bill No.: SCS for HCS for HB 1153

Subject: Boards, Commissions, Committees, Councils; Public Safety Department.

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: April 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	
Elevator Safety Board	(\$640)	(\$659)	(\$679)	
Total Estimated Net Effect on Other State Funds	(\$640)	(\$659)	(\$679)	

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 All				
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Public Safety - Director's Office** assume the proposal would not fiscally impact their agency.

Officials from the **Department of Public Safety - Division of Fire Safety (DFS)** stated expenses for the Elevator Safety Board are currently paid from the Elevator Safety Fund. This legislation will affect the expenses of the Board.

DFS states that adding two members to the Board will increase the Board expenses. Members are appointed by the Governor and serve without pay. They do, however, receive per diem expenses equivalent to the members of the general assembly (\$72 per day of meeting). Due to the length of the meetings, the Board has a working lunch with the Division providing a catered meal at an approximate cost of \$8 per person. The Board meets at least quarterly. Due to the emergency clause within this legislation, it is assumed that the additional members will be appointed and in-place for each of the meetings conducted in FY07. Based on current previous and current Board member expenses, the approximate cost for two additional Board members would be \$640 (2 members x (\$72 + \$8) x 4 meetings per year) annually from the Elevator Safety Fund. The fund can support this increase.

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FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
ELEVATOR SAFETY FUND			
<u>Costs</u> - Division of Fire Safety Additional Elevator Safety Board members expense	<u>(\$640)</u>	<u>(\$659)</u>	<u>(\$679)</u>
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO THE ELEVATOR SAFETY BOARD	<u>(\$640)</u>	<u>(\$659)</u>	<u>(\$679)</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

DESCRIPTION

This proposal changes the membership of the Elevator Safety Board from eleven to thirteen. The proposal adds one new member representing elevator installers and one member shall be a licensed professional engineer.

This proposal has an emergency clause.

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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