COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 0743-01 <u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Bill No.</u>: HB 142 <u>Date</u>: December 23, 2014

Subject: Disabilities; Agriculture and Animals

Bill Summary: This proposal revises the definition of a service dog to include animals

that provide support or therapeutic functions for individuals with

psychiatric or mental disabilities.

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

§§ 209.150, 209.200 - Service Dogs:

Officials from the Department of Agriculture, Department of Mental Health, Department of Social Services, Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of Health and Senior Services, and Office of Administration each assume the proposal would not fiscally impact their respective agencies.

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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