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Substitute House Bill No. 5039

House of Representatives, March 30, 2004

The Committee on Government Administration and Elections reported through REP. O'ROURKE of the 32nd Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE DELEGATION OF THE SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT'S DUTIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 4-65a of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 (a) There shall be an Office of Policy and Management which shall
4 be responsible for all aspects of state staff planning and analysis in the
5 areas of budgeting, management, planning, energy policy
6 determination and evaluation, intergovernmental policy, criminal and
7 juvenile justice planning and program evaluation. The department
8 head shall be the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management,
9 who shall be appointed by the Governor in accordance with the
10 provisions of sections 4-5, as amended, 4-6, 4-7 and 4-8, with all the
11 powers and duties therein prescribed. The Secretary of the Office of
12 Policy and Management shall be the employer representative (1) in

13 collective bargaining negotiations concerning changes to the state
 14 employees retirement system and health and welfare benefits, and (2)
 15 in all other matters involving collective bargaining, including
 16 negotiation and administration of all collective bargaining agreements
 17 and supplemental understandings between the state and the state
 18 employee unions concerning all executive branch employees except
 19 (A) employees of the Division of Criminal Justice, and (B) faculty and
 20 professional employees of boards of trustees of constituent units of the
 21 state system of higher education. The secretary may designate a
 22 member of the secretary's staff to act as the employer representative in
 23 the secretary's place.

24 (b) There shall be such undersecretaries as may be necessary for the
 25 efficient conduct of the business of the office. Each such undersecretary
 26 shall be appointed by the secretary and shall be qualified and
 27 experienced in the functions to be performed by him. The positions of
 28 each such undersecretary shall be exempt from the classified service.

29 (c) The secretary may delegate to the deputy secretary all or part of
 30 the authority, powers and duties of the secretary. The secretary may
 31 delegate to any undersecretary any of the secretary's duties and
 32 responsibilities that relate to the functions to be performed by such
 33 undersecretary.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>

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The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 05 \$	FY 06 \$
Policy & Mgmt., Off.	GF - None	None	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

There is no fiscal impact for the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management to delegate all or part of his authority, powers and duties to the undersecretary to which the duties relate.

OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY:

This bill allows the secretary of the Office of Policy and Management to delegate some or all of his authority, powers, and duties to the deputy secretary. It also permits him to delegate to any undersecretary his duties and responsibilities relating to the functions that the undersecretary performs.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage

COMMITTEE ACTION

Government Administration and Elections Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute

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