



Senate

General Assembly

File No. 683

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Senate Bill No. 1377

Senate, May 4, 2005

The Committee on Appropriations reported through SEN. HARP of the 10th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE AGENCIES WITHIN THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2005*) The Joint Committee on
2 Legislative Management shall review the operation, administration
3 and management of the programs and services administered or
4 provided by the agencies within the legislative department in order to
5 evaluate cost-effectiveness and benefits of such programs and services.
6 The committee shall submit recommendations to increase cost-
7 effectiveness and benefits to the joint standing committee of the
8 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
9 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies not later than January
10 1, 2006, and annually thereafter.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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| Section 1 | <i>July 1, 2005</i> | New section |
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APP *Joint Favorable*

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

| Agency Affected | Fund-Effect | FY 06 \$ | FY 07 \$ |
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| Legislative Mgmt. | GF - None | None | None |

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

It is anticipated that Legislative Management can review the operations of the agencies within the legislative department in order to evaluate cost-effectiveness, and report such finding within the agency's normal budgetary resources.

OFA Bill Analysis

SB 1377

AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE AGENCIES WITHIN THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.**SUMMARY:**

The bill requires Legislative Management (OLM) to review the operation, administration and management of the programs and services administered or provided by the agencies within the legislative department in order to evaluate cost-effectiveness and benefits of such programs and services. The bill requires OLM to submit recommendations to increase cost-effectiveness and benefits to the Appropriations Committee by January 1, 2006, and annually thereafter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2005

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Report

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