



Senate

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Senate Bill No. 1464

Senate, May 3, 2007

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 THE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The Commissioner of
2 Economic and Community Development shall review the programs
3 and services administered or provided by the department in order to
4 determine the cost-effectiveness and benefits of such programs and
5 services and assign priority for their continued funding. The
6 commissioner shall submit findings and recommendations to the joint
7 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
8 matters relating to appropriations and the budgets of state agencies not
9 later than January 1, 2008, and annually thereafter.

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

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
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APP *Joint Favorable*

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 chamber thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 08 \$	FY 09 \$
Department of Economic & Community Development	GF - None	None	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The reporting requirements mandated by the bill would not result in additional cost to the agency because it already reports on its budget and programs to the Appropriations Committee on an annual basis.

The Out Years

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to inflation.

OFA Bill Analysis**SB 1464*****AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR THE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.*****SUMMARY:**

The bill requires the Commissioner of the Department of Economic and Community Development to review their functions and activities and report such findings to the General Assembly by the January 1, 2008 and annually thereafter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2007

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Report

Yea 50 Nay 0 (04/17/2007)