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AN ACT ESTABLISHING A RIGHT TO HOUSING.

As Amended by Senate "A" (LCO 9029)

House Calendar No.: 523

Senate Calendar No.: 133

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill makes it a state goal to implement policies that will respect, protect and fulfill a "right to housing," as defined by the bill, which does not result in a fiscal impact. The bill does not mandate or require the state to spend additional funds on programs or services related to the components of this "right" as enumerated.

The bill also establishes a seventeen member right to housing committee to review existing and proposed housing policies and to report on it annually, which has no fiscal impact.

Senate "A" removes the provisions establishing a Housing Advocate at the Department of Housing, which eliminates the costs in the bill, and makes other minor changes with no fiscal impact.

The Out Years

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

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