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AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION IN BROWNFIELD PROGRAMS FOR CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES.

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 26 $	FY 27 $
Department of Economic & Community Development	GF - Cost	Up to $250,000	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill results in a one-time cost of up to $250,000 to the Department of Economic and Community Development (DECD) to study the feasibility and potential benefits of expanding the eligibility requirements for participation in brownfield programs in the state and submit the report to the committee of cognizance by February 1, 2026.

DECD will require consulting services at a cost of up to $250,000 in order to complete research required by the bill by February 1st. The cost may be partially mitigated to the extent that the staff at the Office of Brownfield Remediation and Development in DECD are able to assist with the study.

The Out Years

The fiscal impact is one-time only in FY 26 and therefore does not continue into the outyears.

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