



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF  
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

## Fiscal Note 2025 Biennium

**Bill information:**

HB0173 - Revise laws related to security of vote tabulating machines (Bedey, David )

**Status:** As Amended in House Committee

- Significant Local Gov Impact     
  Needs to be included in HB 2     
  Technical Concerns  
 Included in the Executive Budget     
  Significant Long-Term Impacts     
  Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

### FISCAL SUMMARY

	<u>FY 2024</u> <u>Difference</u>	<u>FY 2025</u> <u>Difference</u>	<u>FY 2026</u> <u>Difference</u>	<u>FY 2027</u> <u>Difference</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Revenue:</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Net Impact-General Fund Balance:</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

**Description of fiscal impact:** This bill revises laws related to voting systems and requires the Office of the Secretary of State to adopt rules implementing the provisions of this legislation and defining approved third-party testers, and the testing process, for voting systems. There is no fiscal impact to the state as the office can absorb any costs associated with implementing this bill within its existing operating budget.

### FISCAL ANALYSIS

**Assumptions:**

**Office of the Secretary of State**

1. While there may be a minimal fiscal impact related to administrative rulemaking, the Office of the Secretary of State will absorb the costs associated with implementing this bill within its existing operating budget.
2. This bill may have a fiscal impact on county election administrators.

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2/3/2023  
Date

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2-3-23  
Date