



*Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note*  
**NO FISCAL IMPACT**

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**Prime Sponsor(s):** Rep. Rose

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**TITLE:** CONCERNING THE SIZE OF THE STATE SEAL.

### **Summary of Legislation**

This bill modifies the statute governing the size of the state seal. Specifically, it reduces the diameter of the state seal from 2.5 inches to 2.25 inches, or another size specified by rule of the Secretary of State. The bill takes effect August 6, 2008, assuming the General Assembly adjourns May 7, 2008, as scheduled, an no referendum petition is filed.

### **Assessment**

The bill will not significantly affect state or local government revenue or expenditures and is assessed as having no fiscal impact. Under the bill, the cost to replace the state seal is expected to be no more than \$500.

The official state seal is controlled by the Secretary of State and used for official purposes, although other state agencies have permission to use images or copies. The current seal is in need of replacement, which would ordinarily be expected to cost roughly \$500. However, the size set forth in current law is apparently not readily available, leaving the possibility for additional costs. This bill would allow the department to avoid any potential costs beyond those normally associated with purchase of the seal.

### **Departments Contacted**

State