

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS  
HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING AUTHORIZATION TO PLACE VOLUNTARILY AN IDENTIFIER OF A BRANCH OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES ON CERTAIN IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE.

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**Summary of Amendments Made to the Bill After the 04/23/10 Legislative Council Staff Revised Fiscal Note Was Prepared**

None.

**JBC Staff Concurrence with Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note**

**Concurs**       **Does Not Concur**       **Updated Analysis**

**Amendments/Appropriation Status**

The bill requires but does not contain an appropriation clause. Staff has prepared amendment **J.001** (attached) to add a provision appropriating \$83,088 cash funds from the Highway Users Tax Fund to the Department of Revenue for FY 2010-11 for the costs incurred by the Department's vendor to reprogram its systems to add the identifier to driver's licenses and identification cards.

**Bill Sponsor Amendments**

Staff is not aware of any sponsor amendments to be offered.

**Points to Consider**

The bill, as amended by the House State, Veterans, & Military Affairs Committee has language that allows the Department of Revenue to retain up to \$98,538 of the fees collected for the issuance of driver's licenses or identification cards. The amount cited in the committee report was based on the cost estimates in the original fiscal note dated February 17, 2010. Since that time, the Department has been able to refine its cost estimate of implementing the bill. This reduction in the appropriation required by the Department does not require any changes to the statute, since the appropriation clause in the bill limits the amount the Department can spend for implementation of the bill.