

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING THE DEREGULATION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE IN AREAS WHERE SUFFICIENT MARKET COMPETITION EXISTS, AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR.

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Summary of Amendments Made to the Bill After the 05/07/10 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 includes an appropriation clause that appropriates \$213,506 cash funds and 1.8 FTE to the Department of Regulatory Agencies, Public Utilities Commission based on a preliminary fiscal analysis by JBC Staff at the time the bill was in House Appropriations. The May 7, 2010 Legislative Council Revised Fiscal Note correctly identifies the fiscal impact of the bill. Staff has prepared amendment **J.003** (attached) to change the existing clause to appropriate \$184,444 cash funds from the Public Utilities Commission Fixed Utility Fund to the Department of Regulatory Agencies, Public Utilities Commission for FY 2010-11.

The appropriation to the Department of Law is not changed by the May 7, 2010 Legislative Council Revised Fiscal Note.

Bill Sponsor Amendments

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

Points to Consider

None.