

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING A PROGRAM TO GIVE LANDOWNERS A PREFERENCE FOR HUNTING LICENSES TO ENCOURAGE HUNTING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.

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Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 03/05/13.

XXX	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>new information or technical issues</i>
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>amendment adopted</i> after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

The Agriculture, Natural Resources, and Energy Committee Report (03/06/13) includes amendments to the bill, however, Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that the committee amendments do not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
J.001	Staff-prepared appropriation amendment

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill requires but does not contain an appropriation clause.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

J.001 Staff has prepared amendment **J.001** (attached) to add a provision appropriating \$51,800 cash funds from the Wildlife Cash Fund to the Department of Natural Resources for FY 2013-14 for the purchase of programming hours from the Governor's Office of Information Technology.

Points to Consider

Future Fiscal Impact

The Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note states that the bill is expected to increase workload in Parks and Wildlife in four areas. As the fiscal impact becomes more clear, the Department may request additional appropriations through the annual budget process.