

STATE FISCAL IMPACT

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TITLE: CONCERNING THE CREATION OF THE LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL POLICY

ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Fiscal Impact Summary	FY 2013-2014	FY 2014-2015
State Revenue		
State Expenditures	Minimal impact. See State Expenditures section.	
FTE Position Change		
Effective Date: Upon signature of the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature.		
Appropriation Summary for FY 2013-2014: None required.		
Local Government Impact: None.		

Summary of Legislation

The bill, *recommended by the Joint Budget Committee*, establishes the Legislative Digital Policy Advisory Committee, consisting of the following persons or their designees:

- the state archivist;
- the librarian of the Supreme Court Library;
- the state librarian,
- the director of research of Legislative Council Staff;
- the director of the Office of Legislative Legal Services;
- the chief clerk of the House of Representatives; and
- the secretary of the Senate.

The advisory committee is required to develop plans for converting existing archived recordings of legislative proceedings into a digital format and implementing the Uniform Electronic Legal Material Act. The committee must report its finding to the Committee on Legal Services and the Joint Budget Committee by November 1, 2013.

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State Expenditures

The bill will increase workload in the Department of Personnel and Administration, the Judicial Department, and the Legislature for staff to attend the advisory committee and develop the required plans concerning digital archiving. It is assumed that any impact can be absorbed within existing appropriations to the affected agencies. Any plans developed by the advisory committee and their costs would be addressed in future legislation or through the budget process. No new appropriations are required at this time.

Departments Contacted

Legislative Council Staff Judicial

Legislative Legal Services Personnel and Administration