JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION PROGRAMS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

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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 03/27/15.

XXX	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to new information or technical issues
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to amendment adopted after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about 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 includes an appropriation clause that provides \$665,330 General Fund to the Department of Labor and Employment to develop a transition plan and manage the transfer of vocational rehabilitation programs from the Department of Human Services. The current appropriation clause includes a technical error where the total appropriation does not equal the sum of the components of the appropriation. Amendment J.001 corrects the total appropriation from \$665,300 to \$665,330. Amendment J.001 does not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

J.001 Staff has prepared amendment **J.001** (attached) to correct the technical error in the bill and align the total appropriation of \$665,330 with the sum of the appropriation components.

Points to Consider

General Fund Impact

The Joint Budget Committee (JBC) has proposed a budget package for FY 2015-16 based on the March 2015 Legislative Council Staff revenue forecast. The JBC has included as part of its FY 2015-16 budget package a \$665,330 General Fund appropriation for implementation of this bill.