FISCAL NOTE

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Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1444 Amendment to:		
Requ	ested by Legislative Council	Date of Request: 1-18-95
Please estimate the fiscal impact (in dollar am state general or special funds, counties, and c		ct (in dollar amounts) of the above measure for counties, and cities.
	Narrative:	
	See Attached	
2.	State fiscal effect in dollar amounts:	
	1993-95 <u>Biennium</u> General Special <u>Fund</u> <u>Funds</u>	1995-97 1997-99 <u>Biennium</u> General Special General Special <u>Fund</u> <u>Funds</u> <u>Fund</u> <u>Funds</u>
Revenues:		
Expenditures:		
3.	What, if any, is the effect of this measure on the appropriation for your agency or department:	
	a. For rest of 1993-95 bienr	nium:
	b. For the 1995-97 bienniur	m:
	c. For the 1997-99 bienniur	m:
4.	County and City fiscal effect in dollar amounts:	
	1993-95 <u>Biennium</u> <u>Counties</u> <u>Cities</u>	1995-97 1997-99 <u>Biennium</u> <u>Biennium</u> <u>Counties</u> <u>Cities</u> <u>Counties</u> <u>Cities</u>
If additional space is needed, attach a supplemental sheet.		Signed Randy Hoffman
Date Prepared: <u>1-26-95</u>		Department <u>Workers Compensation Bureau</u>
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ND WORKERS COMPENSATION BUREAU 1995 LEGISLATION SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL INFORMATION

BILL DESCRIPTION:

Escalation of Maximum Benefit

BILL NO. HB 1444

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL INFORMATION: The Workers Compensation Bureau, together with its Actuary, Glenn Evans of Pacific Actuarial Consultants, have reviewed the legislation proposed in this bill in conformance with Section 54-03-25 of the North Dakota Century Code.

Based on a review by the Workers Compensation Bureau and its Actuary, the escalation of the maximum benefit provided under this bill would increase the annual cost of workers compensation benefits by about \$1 million or 1% of total premium. The proposed changes would also impact the current liability for claims of record. Based on the Actuary's analysis, it is estimated that current liabilities would increase by approximately \$8 million to reflect the changes.

DATE: 1-26-95