## **FISCAL NOTE**

## Requested by Legislative Council 02/09/2001

Bill/Resolution No.:

Amendment to: SB 2252

1A. **State fiscal effect:** Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.

1999-2001 Biennium		2001-2003	3 Biennium	2003-2005 Biennium		
General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	

**Revenues** (\$35,000)

Expenditures Appropriations

1B. County, city, and school district fiscal effect: Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.

1999-2001 Biennium
2001-2003 Biennium
2003-2005 Biennium

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Counties	Cities	Districts	Counties	Cities	Districts	Counties	Cities	Districts	

2. **Narrative:** Identify the aspects of the measure which cause fiscal impact and include any comments relevant to your analysis.

SB 2252 First Engrossment provides income tax deductions and credits for certain adoption expenses.

- 3. State fiscal effect detail: For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:
  - A. **Revenues:** Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.

The provisions of Section 2 of SB 2252 First Engrossment are available for all adoptions for tax year 2001 (fiscal year 2002). We estimate the fiscal impact of the short form adjustment to "federal tax liability", for one year, is -\$35,000. Beginning with tax year 2002, the federal credit will be available for special needs children only. According to information from Human Services, parents adopting a special needs child are not faced with significant unreimbursed adoption expenses, so the fiscal impact for the second year of the biennium is expected to be less than \$5000.

- B. **Expenditures:** Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.
- C. **Appropriations:** Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, of the effect on the biennial appropriation for each agency and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget. Indicate the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations.

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