FISCAL NOTE

Requested by Legislative Council 03/18/2005

Amendment to: SB 2265

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.

> 2003-2005 Biennium 2005-2007 Biennium 2007-2009 Biennium General General Other Funds Other Funds General Other Funds Fund Fund Fund

Revenues **Expenditures Appropriations**

1B. County, city, and school district fiscal effect: Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision. 2007-2009 Biennium

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

There will be a fiscal impact on the Risk Management Fund if SB 2265 is not enacted. Due to a number of factors, that impact is impossible to quantify. The number of lawsuits filed against state employees will increase and those lawsuits will probably not be able to be resolved by dispositive motions but will require a determination by a trier of fact which increases expense of litigation and potential judgment awards.

- 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.
 - 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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