FISCAL NOTE

Requested by Legislative Council 01/26/2009

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 2369

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.

	2007-2009 Biennium		2009-2011	Biennium	2011-2013 Biennium		
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	
Revenues							
Expenditures							
Appropriations							

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

2007	7-2009 Bienn	ium	2009-2011 Biennium		2011-2013 Biennium			
Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts

2A. **Bill and fiscal impact summary:** Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).

SB 2369 creates a refund program for renters relative to the share of the rent that constitutes property taxes.

B. **Fiscal impact sections:** *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

The provisions of SB 2369 set forth the parameters of the renters refunds, based on rent paid and the income of the household. We have no information relative the income level of renters and the corresponding rent they pay.

The state has approximately 100,000 to 105,000 renters. Perhaps as many as 75% may qualify for a refund. This may translate into the cost of the program totaling \$14 to \$20 million per year.

A more complete fiscal analysis is not currently possible given the unknowns.

- 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, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation is also included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.

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