FISCAL NOTE

Requested by Legislative Council 01/20/2009

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1557

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			\$174,000		\$174,000	
Appropriations			\$174,000		\$174,000	

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

2007-2009 Biennium		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).

House Bill No. 1557 requires the Legislative Assembly to reconvene each even-numbered year for budget adjustment purposes.

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.*

This bill requires the Legislative Assembly to reconvene each even-numbered year for budget adjustment purposes; however, the bill provides that the Legislative Assembly may not exceed its maximum allowed 80 days for both the regular and reconvened sessions. Each legislative day the Legislative Assembly is in session is estimated to cost approximately \$58,000.

- 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.

N/A

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.

The budget request for the Legislative Assembly for the 2009-11 biennium includes funding for a 77 legislative-day 2011 session. The amounts shown are the estimated costs for an additional 3 legislative days to provide for a total of 80 legislative days for the 2009-11 biennium.

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.

The appropriation for the Legislative Assembly for the 2009-11 biennium would need to be increased by \$174,000 from the general fund to provide for a total of 80 legislative days for the 2009-11 biennium.

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