FISCAL NOTE

Requested by Legislative Council 03/11/2003

Amendment to: HB 1378

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.

	2001-2003	Biennium	2003-2005	Biennium	2005-2007 Biennium		
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	
Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Expenditures	\$0	\$0	\$35,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	

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

2001-2003 Biennium

2005-2007 Biennium

		School			School			School
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.

Based on an estimate prepared by the Engineering Colleges at UND and NDSU, the anticipated cost of the study is \$35,000. No funds are currently available within either the UND or NDSU budget for this purpose. Therefore either an additional state general fund appropriation would be needed or funding would have to be internally reallocated or grant or private funding would be needed to cover the cost of the study, should the Board decide to proceed with the study.

- 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.

Funding to support personnel, and associated operating costs, to perform the study.

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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