



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 369

PRINTERS NO. 1409

PRIME SPONSOR: D. White

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2010/11	FY 2011/12
Motor License Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY: Amends the Transportation Code to designate several connecting scenic byways. This legislation would take effect immediately.

ANALYSIS: This legislation would amend Title 74, by designating portions of the West Branch Susquehanna River Byway, U.S. 219, U.S. 322, S.R. 969, S.R. 879, S.R. 153, S.R. 453, S.R. 729, S.R. 1001, S.R. 4005, Bilger's Rocks Road and the Greenville Pike in Clearfield County as scenic byways for a total of 64 miles.

The bill prohibits the placement of outdoor advertising devices either within a specific footage of the byway or within view from the scenic byways but exceptions are provided for:

- outdoor advertising devices advertising the sale or lease of real property upon which they are located;
- outdoor advertising devices advertising activities conducted on the property on which they are located, including display measures that may be changed at reasonable intervals by electronic process of remote; and
- directional signs, including signs pertaining to natural wonders, scenic and historical attractions and other points of interest, which conform to standards promulgated by the U.S. Secretary of Transportation pursuant to 23 U.S.C. § 131.

FISCAL IMPACT: This legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds.

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DATE: June 22, 2011

Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.