



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 644

PRINTERS NO. 1089

PRIME SPONSOR: Folmer

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2015/16	FY 2016/17
General Fund	See Fiscal Impact	See Fiscal Impact

#### SUMMARY:

SB 644, PN 1089 amends Title 71 (State Government) Sections 4102, 4104 and 4109 to expand the powers and duties of the Independent Fiscal Office (IFO).

#### ANALYSIS:

The bill requires the IFO to conduct a cost analysis of proposed collective bargaining agreements for public employee contracts under the Governor's jurisdiction prior to execution of agreements. The bill includes a definition of "proposed collective bargaining agreement" and provides for the IFO to conduct a cost analysis of the current and remaining subsequent fiscal years of the agreements.

The legislation would take effect in 60 days.

#### FISCAL IMPACT:

Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds. The IFO has indicated that the cost analyses required by the legislation can be absorbed through existing IFO funding levels.

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