



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 948

PRINTERS NO. 1331

PRIME SPONSOR: Hutchinson

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2018/19	FY 2019/20
First Class Township Funds	See "Fiscal Impact"	See "Fiscal Impact"

**SUMMARY:** Amends the First Class Township Code (Act 331 of 1931) to increase the threshold for the sale of municipal personal property without the need to publicly advertise for bids. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

**ANALYSIS:** This legislation amends the First Class Township Code to raise the market value of personal property to be sold without public notice or bidding from \$1,000 to \$2,000.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** By allowing first class townships to forgo public notice and bidding requirements for the sale of personal property, this will allow them to reduce advertising costs in newspapers. Any estimate of such savings is indeterminable at this point.

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**DATE:** October 16, 2018

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