



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 2649

PRINTERS NO. 3203

PRIME SPONSOR: Grove

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2021/22	FY 2022/23
General Fund	\$0	See fiscal impact

**SUMMARY:** House Bill 2649, printer's number 3203, amends the Regulatory Review Act further providing for composition of commission, membership, compensation, vacancies and removal and for procedures for subsequent review of disapproved final-form or final-omitted regulations.

**ANALYSIS:** This legislation would add two members to the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC), with one appointed by the Majority Leader of the Senate and one appointed by the Majority Leader of the House of Representatives. The bill changes the requirement for a quorum of three members to a majority of commissioners in order to conduct official business. If IRRC disapproves of an agency's report, the agency shall be barred from promulgating the final-form or final-omitted regulation.

The changes to the procedures for subsequent review of disapproved final-form or final-omitted regulations contained in the legislation shall take effect in 60 days. The remaining provisions in this bill take effect immediately.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Under current law, IRRC commissioners are entitled to receive \$250 per day as compensation for services rendered to the commission. Commissioners shall also be entitled to reimbursement for travel and other necessary expenses incurred as a result of official duties. The addition of two new commissioners will result in an increased amount of reimbursement and compensation costs. The enacted General Fund appropriation to IRRC in the current 2021-22 fiscal year is \$2.155 million.

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