

FISCAL NOTE

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DEEDS TO CONVEY REAL PROPERTY **Bill Topic:**

Summary of No Fiscal Impact. This bill authorizes a licensed title insurance entity to prepare **Fiscal Impact:** deeds for the conveyance of real property, and provides new forms of deeds to

convey certain real estate.

Appropriation Summary:

No appropriation is required.

Fiscal Note Status:

The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill.

Summary of Legislation

This bill authorizes a licensed title insurance entity to prepare deeds for the conveyance of real property. A deed prepared by a licensed title insurance entity containing a covenant of warranty must include a limitation on the warranty of title and use the words "subject to statutory exceptions" unless instructed to do so in writing by both the grantor and grantee. Finally, this bill provides new forms for the conveyance of certain real estate between grantors and grantees.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

This bill is primarily on private individuals and is not expected to change the workload, expenditures or revenue for any agency of the state or local government. For these reasons, the bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect upon signature of the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature and applies to deeds for the conveyance of real property that are executed on or after that date.

State and Local Government Contacts

Local Affairs Counties County Clerks

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