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# Fiscal Note

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<b>Prime Sponsors:</b>	Rep. Barnett; Lynch	<b>Bill Status:</b>	House Business
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**Bill Topic:** DEFINITION OF PAWNBROKER

<b>Summary of Fiscal Impact:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> State Revenue	<input type="checkbox"/> TABOR Refund
	<input type="checkbox"/> State Expenditure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Government
	<input type="checkbox"/> State Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Public Entity

This bill modifies the definition of pawnbroker. The bill may reduce local government workload impacts.

**Appropriation Summary:** No appropriation is required.

**Fiscal Note Status:** The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill.

## Summary of Legislation

Under current law, a pawnbroker is defined as a person who makes contracts for purchase or makes purchase transactions. Under this bill, a person who makes purchase transactions is a pawnbroker only if he or she also makes contracts for purchase.

## Local Government

By narrowing the definition of pawnbroker, local governments may have reduced workload to license and regulate fewer pawnbrokers. Local governments may also have increased workloads to update ordinances with the new definition.

## Effective Date

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

## State and Local Government Contacts

Counties	Local Affairs	Municipalities	Information Technology
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