

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING CREATION OF A USER-FRIENDLY STATE INTERNET PORTAL RELATING TO STATE AGENCY RULES, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

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Sens. Zenzinger and Woodward

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Appropriation Items of Note

Appropriation Already Added to Bill Required, No Amendment in Packet

General Fund Impact

Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Revised Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 05/12/21.

XXX	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>new information or technical issues</i>
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>amendment adopted</i> after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

The bill was amended by the House Appropriations Committee Report (05/21/21) and by floor amendments on second reading (05/21/21), however, Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that the committee amendments do not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
None.	

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill includes an appropriation clause that provides \$476,912 total funds, including \$368,194 General Fund to the Governor's Office of Information Technology and \$108,718 cash funds from the Department of State Cash Fund to the Department of State for FY 2021-22. This provision also states that the appropriation is based on the assumption that the Governor's Office and the Department of State will require an additional 2.1 FTE and 0.7 FTE, respectively.

Points to Consider

General Fund Impact

The Joint Budget Committee has proposed a budget package for FY 2021-22 based on the March 2021 Legislative Council Staff revenue forecast. The budget package includes a set aside of \$48.0 million General Fund for bills that require General Fund appropriations for FY 2021-22. This bill requires a General Fund appropriation of \$368,194 for FY 2021-22, reducing the \$48.0 million set aside by the same amount.