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# **Fiscal Note**

Drafting Number: Prime Sponsors:	LLS 24-0584 Rep. Valdez Sen. Priola	Date: Bill Status: Fiscal Analyst:	March 14, 2024 House Trans., Hous. & Local Govt. Colin Gaiser   303-866-2677 colin.gaiser@coleg.gov	
Bill Topic:	SINGLE-EXIT STAIRWAY MULTIFAMILY STRUCTURE			
Summary of Fiscal Impact:	•	nily residential building.	<ul><li>☑ Local Government</li><li>☐ Statutory Public Entity</li><li>Illow a single exit to serve up to</li><li>It increases state and local</li></ul>	
Appropriation Summary:	No appropriation is requ	iired.		
Fiscal Note Status:	The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill.			

### **Summary of Legislation**

By December 1, 2026, the bill requires counties and municipalities to adopt or amend their building codes to allow a single exit to serve no more than five stories of a multifamily residential building. The bill instructs local governments to incorporate by reference language from a portion of an existing building code of another American jurisdiction with similar laws. Upon request, the Department of Local Affairs (DOLA) must provide technical assistance in adopting or amending existing building code.

### **State Expenditures**

The bill increases workload for the Division of Local Government in DOLA by requiring the division to provide technical assistance to local governments with adopting or amending building codes. This fiscal note assumes any new workload is absorbable within existing resources.

#### **Local Government**

The bill increases workload and expenditures for counties and municipalities. These local governments will have costs for staff to search for example codes, update building code language, and secure approval from governing boards. Impacts will vary by jurisdiction depending on the content of their current building codes and other factors.

#### **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	County Clerks	Judicial
Local Affairs	Municipalities	Public Safety

The revenue and expenditure impacts in this fiscal note represent changes from current law under the bill for each fiscal year. For additional information about fiscal notes, please visit the <u>General Assembly website</u>.