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Fiscal Note

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Bill Topic:	EVIDENCE-BASED DESIGNATIONS FOR BUDGET		
Summary of Fiscal Impact:	☐ State Revenue ☑ State Expenditure	☐ State Transfer ☐ TABOR Refund	☐ Local Government☐ Statutory Public Entity
	Budget package bill. This bill makes modifications to simplify and clarify the evidence-based decision making process. It minimally impacts state workload.		
Appropriation Summary:	No appropriation is required.		
Fiscal Note Status:	The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. The bill was recommended by the Joint Budget Committee as part of the FY 2024-25 budget package.		

Summary of Legislation

<u>Senate Bill 21-284</u> established a process through which budgetary decisions could be considered using evidence provided by state agencies and analyzed by Joint Budget Committee (JBC) staff. This bill makes modifications to simplify and clarify the evidence-based decision-making process.

State Expenditures

Workload for JBC and state agency staff will minimally increase to the extent the evidence-based decision-making process is better utilized. No change in appropriations is required for any agency.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed. It applies to budget requests, supplemental appropriations requests, and budget request amendments made on or after this date.

State and Local Government Contacts

Joint Budget Committee Staff

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>.