



Initiative 251

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Fiscal Summary

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LCS TITLE: TITLES FOR REFERRED MEASURES

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This fiscal summary, prepared by the nonpartisan Director of Research of the Legislative Council, contains a preliminary assessment of the measure's fiscal impact. A full fiscal impact statement for this initiative is or will be available at leg.colorado.gov/bluebook. This fiscal summary identifies the following impact.

State expenditures. The measure increases workload for the Title Board, housed in the Department of State, to set titles for additional measures referred to voters by the General Assembly. Generally, this is assumed to affect less than five referred measures per year. Initiative 251 may also increase workload in the state legislature to formulate procedures or to enact legislation regarding the process for the Title Board to set titles for referred measures within legislative session timelines, and for the Judicial Department to consider additional challenges to titles or the process generally.

Economic impacts. The measure has no direct impact on the state economy.

