## **Department of Fiscal Services**

Maryland General Assembly

## **FISCAL NOTE**

House Bill 1049 (Chairman, Commerce and Government Matters Committee) (Departmental - State Commission on Ethics)

Commerce and Government Matters

## **Public Ethics - Former Officials and Employees - Disclosure of Information**

This departmental bill prohibits former State officials or employees from disclosing or using confidential information acquired in their former position for their own personal benefit or for the economic benefit of another.

## **Fiscal Summary**

State Effect: None. The bill would not directly affect governmental finances.

Local Effect: None.

**Small Business Effect:** The State Ethics Commission has determined that this bill has minimal or no impact on small business (attached). Fiscal Services concurs with this assessment.

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