

Department of Fiscal Services  
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 1080 (Delegate Bozman, *et al.*)  
Economic Matters

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**Charitable Organizations - Fund-Raising Containers - Labeling**

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This bill adds a new labeling requirement for charitable fund-raising containers by requiring that it be stated on the container and to the person who grants permission for the placement of the container that a portion of the money deposited is retained by the business placing the container, if less than all the money deposited is given to a charitable organization or used for a charitable purpose. The bill also specifies that the requirement applies at any location open to the public.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. The impact would be small enough that it could be handled with existing resources by the Office of the Secretary of State.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** None. The disclosure required by the bill would not have a material impact on small businesses.

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