

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 178 (Chairman, Economic Matters Committee)
(Departmental - Assessments and Taxation)

Economic Matters

Business Entity Names

This departmental bill consolidates all existing business entity name statutes and alters the standard for new entity names to make new names “distinguishable” from existing entity names.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. This bill is procedural in nature.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: The Department of Assessments and Taxation has determined that this bill has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses (attached). Legislative Services concurs with this assessment.

Information Sources: Department of Assessments and Taxation, Department of Legislative Services

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