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FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 917 (Delegate DeCarlo, *et al.*)

Commerce and Government Matters

Election - Compensation of Election Judges - Baltimore County

This bill increases the compensation of election judges in Baltimore County by \$25 per day.

The bill is effective July 1, 1999.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Baltimore County expenditures would increase by \$60,000 in FY 2000 and each election year thereafter. No effect on revenues.

Small Business Effect: None.

Fiscal Analysis

Local Expenditures: The bill would increase the daily compensation for a chief election judge from \$135 to \$160. Other election judges' daily compensation would increase from \$100 to \$125. Baltimore County employed 2,400 election judges during the general election in 1998. Assuming the same number of judges are needed for each future election year, Baltimore County expenditures would increase by \$60,000 due to the additional compensation.

Information Source(s): Baltimore County, Department of Legislative Services

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