Department of Legislative Services

Maryland General Assembly 2000 Session

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 454 (St. Mary's County Delegation)

Commerce and Government Matters

St. Mary's County - Citizens Nursing Home Board - Selection of Members

This bill gives the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County the responsibility for appointing new members to the county's citizens nursing home board when terms of appointment expire or as vacancies occur.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Appointments could be made with the existing resources of the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County.

Small Business Effect: None.

Analysis

Current Law: As terms of appointment expire and vacancies occur on the St. Mary's County Citizen Nursing Home Board, members of the board elect new appointees. There are ten members on the board and each serves a term of three years. If a board member vacates an appointment to the board before the term has expired, the replacement serves only the time remaining on the vacated term.

Background: The board reports to the county commissioners and is charged with establishing, maintaining, and operating nursing facilities and services for the proper care of the elderly and chronically ill residents of the county.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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