# **Department of Legislative Services**

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#### FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 1165 (Delegate Pitkin. *et al.*)
Economic Matters

### Task Force to Study Arts and Entertainment Districts

This bill establishes a 12-member task force to study various private and public sector initiatives for qualifying resident artists or art-related professionals to encourage the development of Arts and Entertainment Districts. The members of the task force are to be appointed by the Governor.

The task force is required to submit a report to the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee on its recommendations for developing benefits for resident artists and art-related professional activities in Arts and Entertainment Districts by December 1, 2001.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2000. The task force terminates on December 31, 2001.

# **Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** Any expense reimbursements for task force members and staffing costs are assumed to be minimal and absorbable within existing budgeted resources.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: None.

## **Analysis**

**Current Law:** None applicable.

#### **Additional Information**

**Prior Introductions:** None.

Cross File: None.

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