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FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 1300 (Delegate Stern)
Environmental Matters

State Advisory Council on Health Sciences and Diagnostics

This bill establishes a 20-member State Advisory Council on Health Sciences and Diagnostics. The council must review proposed legislation, consult with additional experts, and advise the General Assembly and the Governor on the significance and impact of legislation assigned to the council and major new developments and trends. The Governor must designate staff to support the council.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: Any expense reimbursements for advisory council 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: There are a number of State advisory councils required under statute that research issues and make recommendations to the Governor and the General Assembly, such as the State Children's Environmental Health and Protection Advisory Council.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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