

**Department of Legislative Services**  
Maryland General Assembly  
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**FISCAL NOTE**  
**Revised**

House Bill 1401

(Delegate Moe, *et al.*)

Commerce and Government Matters

Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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**Study of the Organizational Structure of Operational Fire and Rescue Services**

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This bill requires the Department of Legislative Services (DLS) to conduct a study on the organizational structure of fire and rescue services in other states. The department must examine the structure for providing services in other states, the funding mechanisms for services in other states, and the existence of an advisory or coordinating body in other states. DLS is to report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and General Assembly by December 1, 2002.

The bill is effective July 1, 2002.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** The bill's requirements could be handled with existing resources.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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**Analysis**

**Current Law:** None applicable.

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## **Additional Information**

**Prior Introductions:** None.

**Cross File:** None.

**Information Source(s):** Military Department, Department of State Police, Maryland Emergency Management Agency, Department of Legislative Services

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