

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Session 2015

Legislative Fiscal Note

BILL NUMBER: House Bill 54 (First Edition)

SHORT TITLE: Codifier of Rules Appointment.

SPONSOR(S): Representative Floyd

FISCAL IMPACT					
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> No Estimate Available		
	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20
State Impact					
General Fund Revenues:					
General Fund Expenditures:	20,563	20,867	21,210	21,521	21,756
Special Fund Revenues:					
Special Fund Expenditures:					
State Positions:					
NET STATE IMPACT	-20,563	-20,867	-21,210	-21,521	-21,756
Local Impact					
Revenues:					
Expenditures:					
NET LOCAL IMPACT	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT(S) & PROGRAM(S) AFFECTED:					
Office of Administrative Hearings					
EFFECTIVE DATE: When bill becomes law.					
TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS:					
None					

BILL SUMMARY:

The proposed bill authorizes the Chief Administrative Law Judge (CALJ) to establish the position and appoint an individual to the position of The Codifier of Rules. This changes the current law that designates the CALJ as the codifier of rules.

ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODOLOGY:

This action would result in repurposing the position of Director of Administrative Procedural Act Services (APA) within the Office of Administrative Hearings to become the position of The Codifier of Rules. The position of Director of APA would be reclassified as The Codifier of Rules and would have a salary equal to that of 90% of an Administrative Law Judge and receive all benefits afforded to this office including longevity compensation to the employee. The salary

requirements would be greater than the current budgeted salary for the Director. The difference of these positions would result in an overall increase of personal services costs to OAH of \$20,563 for FY 2015-16 and increases annually through FY 2019-20 resulting from estimated inflationary factors totaling 5.8% over the five year projection.

SOURCES OF DATA:

Office of Administrative Hearings

TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS: None

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