

COMMITTEE REPORT
HOUSE

(11)

FURTHER:

1/20/34

Date: 1-23-34

The Committee on FINANCE has had SB 353am

"An Act repealing the provisions of law relating to the presidential party primary election; and providing for an effective date."

under consideration and recommends:

- do pass [] do not pass
- [] do pass with attached amendments(s)
- [] replace with CS for _____ [] same title
- [] new title
- and recommends _____
- [] AND attaches a "Letter of Intent" [x] New Fiscal Note (2000)
- [] Zero Fiscal Note Attached
- [] reports it back without recommendation
- [] referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING
DO PASS

Arthur B. Adams

James M. ...

Walter Funnage

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MEMBERS HAVING
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

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CHAIRMAN

Introduced: 1/13/84
Referred: State Affairs

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FISCAL NOTE

Revision Date: _____

REQUEST

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 Title: repeal of Presidential
Party Primary statutes
 Sponsor: Gov., Lacher, Ward
 Requestor: (H) State Affairs
 Date of Request: 1/10/84

FISCAL DETAIL

Agency Affected: Division of Elections
 Program Category Affected: _____
 BRU, Program or Subprogram(s) Affected: _____

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY 84 | FY 85 | FY 86 | FY 87 | FY 88 | FY 89 |
|-----------------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| OPERATING | | | | | | |
| 100 PERSONAL SERVICES | (222.0) | | | | | |
| 200 TRAVEL | (15.3) | | | | | |
| 300 CONTRACTUAL | (562.7) | | | | | |
| 400 SUPPLIES | | | | | | |
| 500 EQUIPMENT | | | | | | |
| 600 LAND & STRUCTURES | | | | | | |
| 700 GRANTS, CLAIMS | | | | | | |
| 800 MISCELLANEOUS | | | | | | |
| TOTAL OPERATING | (800.0) | | | | | |
| CAPITAL | | | | | | |
| REVENUE | | | | | | |

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

| | | | | | | |
|---------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| CENERAL FUND | 1,000.0 | | | | | |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
| OTHER | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | | | |

POSITIONS:

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| FULL-TIME | | | | | | |
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ANALYSIS: Attach a separate page for analysis

Prepared By: T.P. Thoma Phone: _____
 Division: Division of Elections Date: 1/16/84

Approved by Commissioner: [Signature] Date: 1/16/84
 Agency: _____

Distribution (by Agency preparing fiscal note):

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OPENING REMARKS FOR SB 353 am:

SB 353 am IS THE SENATE VERSION OF THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY REPEAL BILL. IT IS PRACTICALLY IDENTICAL TO THE BILL THAT WE REPORTED OUT OF COMMITTEE LAST WEEK. THE ONLY DIFFERENCE IS AN ADDITIONAL SECTION STATING THAT THE FUNDING WILL LAPSE TO THE GENERAL FUND. THIS SECTION WAS REQUESTED SO THAT THE FUNDING WILL NOT BE REAPPROPRIATED FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.

SB 353 am DIFFERS FROM THE ORIGINAL BILL IN TWO WAYS. FIRST, IT INCLUDES THE SECTION I JUST DESCRIBED. SECOND, IT DELETES A SECTION DEALING WITH PASSAGE OF THE BILL AFTER THE DATE OF THE PRIMARY. THIS SECTION IS UNNECESSARY. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE REFER TO THE MEMO IN YOUR FILE FROM LEGAL COUNSEL.

TO REFRESH YOUR MEMORY, THE FISCAL IMPACT IS DEPENDENT ON THE DATE OF PASSAGE. THE SOONER WE PASS IT, THE MORE MONEY WE SAVE.

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|---------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| GENERAL FUND | 1,000.0 | | | | | |
| FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
| OTHER | | | | | | |
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