



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

Fiscal Note – 2009 Biennium

Bill # HB0065

Title: Revise uninsured employer's subsequent injury fund-increase dept. inspect. auth.

Primary Sponsor: Villa, D.

Status: As Introduced

- Significant Local Gov Impact
 Include in HB 2
 Technical Concerns
 Included in the Executive Budget
 Significant Long-Term Impacts
 Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Expenditures:				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue:				
General Fund	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Net Impact-General Fund Balance	<u><u>\$0</u></u>	<u><u>\$0</u></u>	<u><u>\$0</u></u>	<u><u>\$0</u></u>

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions:

1. The Montana State Fund's current practice for determining experience modification factors is to exclude claim losses that are reimbursed by the Subsequent Injury Fund according to the National Council on Compensation Insurance experience rating plan.
2. The Department of Labor and Industry does not regularly provide Montana State Fund notice of persons certified with the Subsequent Injury Fund.
3. The Montana State Fund must request from the Department of Labor and Industry affirmation that a specific current employee is certified by the Subsequent Injury Fund. This information will be disclosed as long as the Subsequent Injury Fund certified employee has given written consent for this disclosure.
4. If the Subsequent Injury Fund employee does not provide written consent to release the fact that they are Subsequent Injury Fund certified, Montana State Fund may not receive the reimbursement from the Subsequent Injury Fund that the employer would otherwise be entitled to receive in their loss experience.
5. There is no fiscal impact to the Montana State Fund from this legislation.
6. There is no fiscal impact to the Department of Labor and Industry from this legislation.

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