## Fiscal Estimate - 2007 Session

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# Fiscal Estimate Narratives COMM 2/7/2008

LRB Number	07-3710/2	Introduction Number	AB-0756	Estimate Type	Original			
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### **Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

2007 AB 756 would require fire departments to report instances of fire that involve a building, and to report certain information regarding each of those fires.

Currently, Commerce is required to maintain records of all fires occuring in the state. This information is entered into the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) by fire departments and by Commerce, and is available to Commerce and participants in NFIRS. Approximately 50% of fire departments currently participate in NFIRS, and some of the information required by 2007 AB 756 regarding each incident is currently reported to NFIRS (age of the building, the number of dwelling units in the building, and if the building had a fire sprinkler or fire alarm system are not currently entered). Commerce anticipates staff time will be spent gaining the participation of and training fire departments that do not currently participate in NFIRS. The Department estimates that this workload can be absorbed within current resources.

Costs to fire departments (which are mostly operated by local units of government) would include information technology costs associated with participation in NFIRS and staff time associated with reporting incidents into NFIRS. These costs would apply to fire departments that do not currently participate in or do not enter fire incident information directly into NFIRS. The amount of these costs is indeterminable, as the staff time would depend on the number of incidents that occur in a fire department's jurisdiction.

#### **Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

## Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2007 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

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