## Fiscal Estimate - 2009 Session

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Fiscal Effect						
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Fund Sources Affected	Affected Ch. 20 Appropriati	ons				
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## **Fiscal Estimate Narratives** DOA 3/5/2009

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## Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

If enacted, the bill requires the withholding of pay of certain state elected officials and prohibits the reimbursement of certain legislator expenses if the legislature has not passed the biennial budget bill by August 1 of the odd-numbered years. The bill also prohibits the acceptance of certain political contributions by certain elected state officials and campaign committees from the first Monday in January of each oddnumbered year through the date of enactment of the biennial budget act; modifies deadlines pertaining to the biennial budget process and the budget for the Building Commission; prohibits the consideration of any amendment to the biennial budget bill that contains nonfiscal policy items; and prohibits introduction of any bill or conducting any business after August 1 of the odd-numbered year if the biennial budget has not yet been passed unless the bill or the business was related to passage of the biennial budget bill.

The fiscal estimate for this bill is indeterminate. While there would be no fiscal effect for most parts of this bill, there would be cost savings from the withholding of legislator expenses if the legislature has not passed the biennial budget by August 1 of the odd-numbered years. It is not possible to provide an estimate of these savings because the number of days the expenses might be withheld or the amount that the legislators might claim is unknown.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications** 

Unknown.