Fiscal Estimate - 2011 Session

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LRB Number	11-4141/1	Introduction Number	SB-499	Estimate Type	Original		
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The engagement of engineering and similar services by the Department of Transportation							

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

If enacted, this bill would require the elimination of performing a cost-benefit analysis for WisDOT consultant contracts. It would instead require an annual report identifying all of the following:

- 1. The total cost of engineering services provided during the preceding fiscal year on projects performed predominantly by employees of the department.
- 2. The total cost of engineering services provided during the preceding fiscal year on projects performed predominantly through an engagement of services under sub. (13)
- 3. The total cost of engineering services provided during the preceding fiscal year on projects performed jointly through an engagement of services under sub. (13) and by employees of the department.

The Department of Transportation issued 802 consultant contracts in FY11 whose cost exceeded \$25,000. The department estimates that eliminating the cost-benefit analysis will subtract an average of 2 hours of staff time for each consultant contract.

The amount of time required to develop the annual report depends upon the nature and volume of data provided.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

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Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2011 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

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