## Fiscal Estimate - 2023 Session

| ☑ Original ☐ Updated  | Corrected  | Supplem                | ental       |  |  |  |
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| LRB Number <b>23-5104/1</b>   | Introduction Numbe   | r <b>SB-073</b>        | 6           |  |  |  |
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## Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under the bill, and following a general election, the Legislative Audit Bureau is required to conduct a performance audit of election processes and report its findings and recommendations to the Legislature no later than June 30 of the odd-numbered year following the election.

It is difficult to accurately estimate the cost of conducting these audits until planning and scheduling work is completed to determine the scope. However, it is likely that conducting these audits would reduce the flexibility of the Joint Legislative Audit Committee to direct the Bureau to complete other audits and evaluations.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications