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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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<b>SHORT TITLE</b>	<u>Bill Introduction &amp; Committee Changes</u>			<b>SB</b>	<u></u>
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### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

House Rules and Order of Business Committee substitute of House Resolution 1 seeks to change the house rules governing legislation reporting, by amending a two-thirds' vote of all the members of the house or by a majority vote of the members of the house upon the recommendation of the committee on rules and order of business; pre-filed legislation (11-12-1 – 11-12-4)

House Rules and Order of Business Committee substitute of House Resolution 1 seeks to repeal House Rules 11-12-1, 11-12-2, 11-12-3 and 11-12-4, and replace them with a new House Rule 11-12-1. by adding the following language;

- “A member may prefile legislation by depositing it with the chief clerk during regular business hours between December 15 and the Friday before a regular session begins. The chief clerk shall number prefiled legislation in the order in which it is received; provided that the first prefiled bill shall be numbered as House Bill 10 or a higher number as the speaker of the house may determine, reserving the initial bill numbers for the bill authorizing current expenses of the legislature, the general appropriation bill and such other bills as the speaker determines is appropriate. Prefiled legislation shall be publicly available. Prefiled legislation shall be introduced and referred to committee on the first day of the regular session.”

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