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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR Griego, P. ORIGINAL DATE 02/07/10
LAST UPDATED _____ HB _____
SHORT TITLE Regulation of Elevator Industry SJM 36
ANALYST Wilson

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

| Appropriation | | Recurring or Non-Rec | Fund Affected |
|---------------|------|-------------------------|------------------|
| FY10 | FY11 | | |
| | NFI | | |

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates SJM 29

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Regulation and Licensing Department (RLD)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Joint Memorial 36 requests RLD to develop a bill to provide for the regulation of the elevator industry to provide adequate protection for the public.

The results of this effort must be reported to the appropriate interim legislative committee by December 1, 2010.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There is no fiscal impact.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

Building codes provide for the installation of elevators to provide for the safety of the public.

Continuing safe operations and maintenance of elevators are not provided for by state inspection.

Other states have enacted regular elevator inspection and operation and maintenance safety rules.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

RLD supports the regulation of the elevator industry and will handle the provisions of this bill with existing staff as part of ongoing responsibilities.

RELATIONSHIP

SJM 36 and SJM 29 are duplicates.

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