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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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SHORT TITLE Publication of Votes to Table Bills SB _____
ANALYST Leger

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY20	FY21	FY22	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total		NFI				

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

SUMMARY

Synopsis of HF1#2 Amendment

House Floor #2 Amendment adds the word “adopted” after “motions” to clarify the chief clerk shall furnish roll call votes on motions adopted.

Synopsis of HF1#1 Amendment

House Floor #1 Amendment strikes the House Rules Committee amendment and adds language stating “The publication of votes on motions to table shall not apply to the Appropriations and Finance Committee or the Taxation and Revenue Committee; provided, however, that the legislature’s website shall contain an explanation of why motions to table for these committees are not published.”

Synopsis of HRC Amendment

The House Rules Committee amendment to House Resolution 1 adds language stating “The publication of votes on motions to table shall not apply to the House Appropriations and Finance Committee or the House Taxation and Revenue Committee.”

Synopsis of Original House Resolution

House Resolution 1 enacts a new House rule regarding publication of votes to table legislation.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

Proposed rule 11-21-1 reads:

“No later than the first session of the fifty-fifth legislature, the chief clerk shall furnish roll call votes on motions to table bills, resolutions or memorials for publication on the legislature’s website.”

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

Per House Rule 21-1, rules of the House of Representatives may be amended by a two-thirds’ vote of all the members or by a majority.

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