

# FISCAL NOTE

Requested by Legislative Council  
02/07/2005

Amendment to: HB 1458

1A. **State fiscal effect:** *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2003-2005 Biennium		2005-2007 Biennium		2007-2009 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
<b>Revenues</b>				\$30,600,000		\$30,600,000
<b>Expenditures</b>						
<b>Appropriations</b>						

1B. **County, city, and school district fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

2003-2005 Biennium			2005-2007 Biennium			2007-2009 Biennium		
Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts
			\$7,038,000	\$4,284,000		\$7,038,000	\$4,284,000	

2. **Narrative:** *Identify the aspects of the measure which cause fiscal impact and include any comments relevant to your analysis.*

This bill provides for a 3 cent increase in motor fuel.

This bill requires biennial transfers from the highway fund to four transportation related funds and provides continuing appropriations for those funds. The four funds are the highway performance classification fund, the state freight rail improvement program fund, the public transportation fund, and the special economic development transportation fund. The bill provides that any shortfall in funding for these funds must be covered through "grant or revenue anticipation financing."

In addition, the bill creates a special economic transportation fund committee which will meet to recommend projects for selection if the total cost of the projects submitted to the department is greater than fifty percent of the funds available from the special economic development transportation fund.

3. **State fiscal effect detail:** *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

A. **Revenues:** *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

The three cent motor fuel tax increase provides \$30,600,000 to the Highway Tax Distribution Fund. The amounts will be distributed as follows:

State Highway Fund	\$19,278,000
Counties	\$7,038,000
Cities	\$4,284,000

B. **Expenditures:** *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

C. **Appropriations:** *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, of the effect on the biennial appropriation for each agency and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget. Indicate the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations.*

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