



FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 332

Committee: Ways and Means General Fund Sponsor: Senator Merika Coleman

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Senate Bill 332 as passed the Senate would increase the obligations of the State General Fund, beginning in Fiscal Year 2027, by \$156,985 for each state death benefit payment paid to a beneficiary of a state or municipal firefighter that dies as a result of work-related diagnosis of Parkinson's disease.

This bill could also increase the obligations of the State Employee Injury Compensation Trust Fund (SEICTF), which is funded through charges assessed against state agencies employing firefighters, by an undetermined amount dependent upon the claims paid to firefighters disabled as a result of the expanded definition of occupational diseases.