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FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2011-12		FY 2012-13	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	See below		See below	

*Does not include any impact on political subdivisions. See narrative for political subdivision estimates.

This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services to obtain a waiver to restrict beverage purchases under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) to milk, 100% juice and plain water.

The Department of Agriculture establishes what is allowable and prohibited with SNAP purchases. If the waiver is approved, the cost to notify affected parties would be minimal.

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

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COMMENTS					
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Concur.					

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ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

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FY 2011-2012

FY 2012-2013

	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	See below	\$0	See below	\$0

Return by date specified or 72 hours prior to public hearing, whichever is earlier.

Explanation of Estimate:

Currently, education and enforcement of what can be purchased with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits is the responsibility of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). Since no waiver of this type has been approved, any requirements of the State to assist with education and enforcement, as well as any other reporting requirements, is unknown. If a waiver was approved, it is most likely that the education portion of the change would be handled through press releases and other electronic means, so any fiscal impact would be minimal. It is unknown if there would be any enforcement costs to the State.

MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

PERSONAL SERVICES:

POSITION TITLE	NUMBER OF POSITIONS		2011-2012 EXPENDITURES	2012-2013 EXPENDITURES
	11-12	12-13		
Benefits.....				
Operating.....				
Travel.....				
Capital Outlay.....				
Aid.....				
Capital Improvements.....				
TOTAL.....			See above	See above