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FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2012-13		FY 2013-14	
	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 Health and Human Services Committee to create a task force to examine the state policy regarding the prescription and administration of psychotropic drugs for wards of the state. The task force shall have up to 12 members including lay, professional and governmental representatives. The task force is required to report annually to the Legislature no later than January 1.

The task force members would be eligible for reimbursement of actual and necessary travel expenses. The amount needed would depend on the number of meetings of the task force and the where the members live. The cost per member per meeting would vary from \$0 to \$500. Based on other similar task forces, committees and commissions, the costs likely would not be greater than \$3,000. The costs could be reimbursed from the appropriation from the Health Care Cash Fund to the Legislature.