State Corporation Commission 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number HB1198	
	House of Orig	gin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
	Second House	e In Committee Substitute Enrolled
2.	Patron	Marshall, R.G.
3.	Committee	Science and Technology
4.	Title	Voice-over-Internet protocol service; E-911 notice.

5. Summary/Purpose:

Voice-over-Internet protocol service; E-911 notice. Eliminates the jurisdiction of the State Corporation Commission to regulate voice-over-Internet protocol service. Voice-over-Internet protocol service is excluded from the scope of the definitions of telephone service, telecommunications service, local exchange telephone service, and interexchange telephone service. Voice-over-Internet protocol service includes any Internet protocol enabled service utilizing a broadband connection. Providers of voice-over-Internet protocol service or wireless telecommunications service that do not include enhanced 911 service are required to notify their affected subscribers of the absence of E-911 service. Consumers of voice-over-Internet protocol service will be subject to the special local tax for enhanced 911 service. Providers of voice-over-Internet protocol service are required to provide the State Corporation Commission and Wireless E-911 Services Board with a plan for how they propose to develop and implement the capability for Voice-over-Internet protocol service users to have enhanced 9-1-1 service and a timetable for its anticipation completion.

- 6. No Fiscal Impact on the State Corporation Commission.
- 7. Budget amendment necessary: No.
- 8. Fiscal implications: None on the State Corporation Commission.
- 9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: State Corporation Commission
- 10. Technical amendment necessary: None noted.
- 11. Other comments: None.

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