Department of Planning and Budget 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number SB156ER			
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled
2.	Patron No	orment		

3. Committee Passed Both Houses

4. Title Court of Appeals; chief judge; additional compensation.

5. Summary/Purpose: Increases the additional compensation of the chief judge of the Court of Appeals from \$1,000 to \$3,000 per year.

- 6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are: Final. See Item 8.
- 7. Budget amendment necessary: No.
- 8. Fiscal implications: According to the Supreme Court, this legislation increases the salary of the chief judge of the Court of Appeals and will have a general fund fiscal impact of \$2,890 per fiscal year, \$890 of which is to cover the associated increase in fringe benefits. The agency should be able to absorb this cost.
- 9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Court system

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: In their proposed budget, the Senate provided \$5,560 each year to cover the cost of increasing the additional compensation from \$1,000 to \$5,000 each year. This amount is higher than the present fiscal impact of this legislation due to the modifications to the legislation since the Senate budget amendments were made.

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