

Department of Planning and Budget 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. **Bill Number** HB3078

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☒ Engrossed
Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. **Patron** Abbitt

3. **Committee** General Laws

4. **Title** Charitable gaming; regulation of bingo callers; exceptions.

5. **Summary/Purpose:** Provides that volunteer fire departments and rescue squads and auxiliary units thereof are exempt from registering with the Department of Charitable Gaming in order to receive remuneration as a bingo caller.

6. **Fiscal Impact Estimates are: Negligible**

6b. Revenue Impact:

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Positions</i>	<i>Fund</i>
2006-07			
2007-08	(750)	0	GF
2008-09	(750)	0	GF
2009-10	(750)	0	GF
2010-11	(750)	0	GF
2011-12	(750)	0	GF
2012-13	(750)	0	GF

7. **Budget amendment necessary:** No

8. **Fiscal implications:** Currently there are only 10 bingo callers registered who are affiliated with fire department and/or rescue squads. At \$75 per annual registration fee, this legislation would reduce general fund revenue by \$750 per year, assuming the number of bingo callers affiliated with fire departments and/or rescue squads remains constant.

9. **Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Department of Charitable Gaming

10. **Technical amendment necessary:** No

11. **Other comments:** None

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cc: Secretary of Administration