Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: HB1298
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron: Morris
3.	Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources
4.	Title: Noncommercial vessels; probable cause.
5.	Summary: Prohibits law enforcement officers from stopping, boarding, or inspecting a noncommercial vessel unless the officer has a reasonable and articulable suspicion that a violation of boating safety regulations adopted by the Board of Game and Inland Fisheries exists. The bill states that this prohibition shall not affect stops to check licenses or creel limits.
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: No state fiscal impact.
8.	Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries or the Marine Resources Commission.
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Game and Inland Fisheries; Marine Resources Commission.
10.	Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
11.	Other Comments: None.