

# FISCAL NOTE

## SB 1457 - HB 1195

March 29, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes compensation to a passenger of a motor vehicle or watercraft for personal injury or death unless the passenger knew the operator of a motor vehicle or watercraft to be legally intoxicated.

### ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Expenditures – Exceeds \$63,000/Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund**

Assumptions:

- Estimated that 10 claims per year are denied under current law concerning passengers in a vehicle/watercraft driven by intoxicated drivers.
- Average cost per claim from the Criminal Injury Compensation Fund is \$6,300.

### CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director