

FISCAL NOTE

May 9, 2022

Bill No:	SB 959	Printer's No:	1250	Sponsor:	Martin

COST / (SAVINGS)

Fund (s)	2021-22	2022-23
General Fund	See Fiscal Impact	See Fiscal Impact

SUMMARY: SB 959 amends the Pennsylvania Constitution regarding emergency authority.

ANALYSIS: This bill amends the constitution to state that the emergency authority granted to secretaries or acting secretaries of departments of the commonwealth expire at the same time a disaster emergency declaration expires.

FISCAL IMPACT: Constitutional amendments carry a cost of \$1.3 million to \$1.5 million in two consecutive legislative sessions to comply with advertising requirements of Section 1 of Article XI of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.