

FISCAL NOTE

May 9, 2019

Bill No:	SB 412	Printer's No:	431	Sponsor:	Stefano (R)
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COST / (SAVINGS)

Fund (s)	2018-19	2019-20
General Fund	See "FISCAL IMPACT"	\$1.3 million to \$1.5 million

SUMMARY: This bill repeals Article VII, Section 12 of the Pennsylvania Constitution.

ANALYSIS: SB 412 removes language from the Pennsylvania Constitution which currently disqualifies individuals who hold appointment or employment in any federal, state, city, county, or municipal government from serving as election officers.

This bill also removes language which currently prevents any election officer from being eligible for any civil office being filled at the election which the officer is serving.

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

The fiscal years in which these costs occur depend on the timing of passage by the General Assembly.