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TO: Honorable Troy Fraser, Chair, Senate Committee on Business & Commerce

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1296 by Noriega (Relating to small business development programs of navigation districts and port authorities.), **As Engrossed**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would require navigation districts and port authorities when seeking bids for purchases or contracts to indicate whether a small business development program adopted by the port commission or navigation district applies to the purchase and, if so, where a copy of the program requirements may be obtained.

The bill would take effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds in each house; otherwise, it would take effect September 1, 2003.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

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