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TO: Honorable Robert Duncan, Chair, Senate Committee on State Affairs

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB392 by Patrick, Dan (Relating to the elimination of straight-party voting for judicial offices.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would eliminate straight-party voting for judicial offices. The bill would take effect September 1, 2009.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 307 Secretary of State

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