

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**FISCAL NOTE, 81ST LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 27, 2009**

**TO:** Honorable Frank Corte Jr., Chair, House Committee on Defense & Veterans' Affairs

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

**IN RE: SB1654** by Van de Putte (Relating to the criteria for evaluating requests for defense economic adjustment assistance grants.), **As Engrossed**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would require the Defense Economic Adjustment Assistance Panel to evaluate each application for a Defense Economic Adjustment Assistance Grant to assign the applicant a score based on certain criteria to include anticipated number of jobs retained. The bill would take effect immediately if it receives two-thirds votes or on September 1, 2009.

**Local Government Impact**

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

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