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TO: Honorable Leticia Van de Putte, Chair, Senate Committee on Veteran Affairs & Military Installations

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 Introduced**

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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