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TO: Honorable Burt R. Solomons, Chair, House Committee on State Affairs

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

IN RE: SJR36 by Duncan (Proposing a constitutional amendment to provide that the governor, and the lieutenant governor when acting as governor, retain executive authority unless the person becomes unavailable as provided by law.), **As Engrossed**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated, other than the cost of publication.

The cost to the state for publication of the resolution is \$90,882.

The resolution would amend the constitution to better define who retains executive authority when the Governor, or Lieutenant Governor when acting as Governor, becomes unavailable as provided by law.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

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