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TO: Honorable Reggie Smith, Chair, House Committee on Elections

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB1599 by Hughes (relating to ballots voted by mail.), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

It is assumed that any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

There could be an impact on certain counties related to the maintenance of a register of cancelled mail ballots and revised procedures for the correction of defective mail ballot applications.

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