JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

CONCERNING AN INCREASE IN FEES PAID BY STATIONARY SOURCES OF AIR POLLUTANTS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, PRIORITIZING THE USE OF THE REVENUES GENERATED BY THE FEE INCREASES TO REDUCE PERMIT PROCESSING TIMES.

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Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 04/20/18.

| XXX | No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill |
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| | Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to new information or technical issues |
| | Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to amendment adopted after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared |
| | Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill |

The House Finance Committee Report (04/23/18) includes amendments to the bill, however, Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that the committee amendments do not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

| Amendment | Description |
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| None. | |

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill neither requires nor contains an appropriation clause for FY 2018-19.

Points to Consider

Future Budget Processes

This bill does not require any additional expenditures in FY 2018-19. However, in the event that the Air Quality Control Commission increases fees paid by stationary sources of air pollutants, the Department of Public Health and Environment would have to submit a budget request to adjust FY 2018-19 appropriations mid-year, or to adjust appropriations for FY 2019-20.