## Fiscal Estimate - 2023 Session

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LRB Number <b>23-4282/1</b>	Introduction Number	SB-0456
Description expanding the homestead income tax credit		V
Fiscal Effect		
Appropriations Reve	ease Existing absorb within a	s - May be possible to agency's budget ☑No ts
Permissive Mandatory Permi	5.Types of Local Units Affected Towns asse Revenue Counties School Districts	Government  Village Cities Others WTCS Districts
Fund Sources Affected  GPR FED PRO PRS	Affected Ch. 20 Affected Ch. 2	Appropriations
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## Fiscal Estimate Narratives DOR 10/6/2023

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Description						
expanding the homestead income tax credit						

## Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, low-income homeowners and renters may qualify for the refundable homestead credit, an individual income tax credit based on household income and property tax or rent constituting property tax. If household income is \$8,060 or less, the credit is 80% of property tax up to \$1,460; thus, the maximum credit is \$1,168. If household income exceeds \$8,060 but is no more than \$24,680, the credit is 80% of the amount by which property tax exceeds 8,785% of household income in excess of \$8,060.

Effective for claims filed for tax year 2023, this bill increases the maximum eligible income from \$24,680 to \$35,000. Moreover, the bill indexes the homestead tax credit parameters for inflation beginning with claims filed for 2023.

In fiscal year 2023, the total homestead credit was \$48.8 million, down from a high of \$133.9 million in fiscal year 2011. The homestead credit appropriation in 2023 Act 19 anticipates further decreases in the credit to \$42.2 million in fiscal year 2024 and \$37.7 million in fiscal year 2025.

Based on a simulation using tax year 2019 credit claims, adjusted for changes in income, DOR expects the bill to increase costs by approximately \$31.0 million in fiscal year 2024, \$34.9 million in fiscal year 2025, \$39.1 million in fiscal year 2026, and increasing amounts annually thereafter. Annual increases in the fiscal effect will depend on the consumer price index (CPI). To the extent that the CPI increases rapidly/slowly indexing will have a greater/smaller fiscal impact.

According to the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Net Tax Reduction Calculation Update memo released by the Department of Administration on 8/28/2023, the remaining margin for tax reductions before triggering potential SLFRF recoupment at \$113 million for fiscal year 2024 and \$319 million for fiscal year 2025. This bill would reduce these margins by the amount of fiscal effect.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications** 

## Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2023 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

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I. One-time Costs or Revenue Impacts for St annualized fiscal effect):	ate and/or Local Governmen	nt (do not include in				
annualized rissul chesty.						
II. Annualized Costs:		cal Impact on funds from:				
	Increased Costs	Decreased Costs				
A. State Costs by Category						
State Operations - Salaries and Fringes	\$	\$				
(FTE Position Changes)						
State Operations - Other Costs						
Local Assistance						
Aids to Individuals or Organizations						
TOTAL State Costs by Category	\$	\$				
B. State Costs by Source of Funds						
GPR						
FED						
PRO/PRS						
SEG/SEG-S						
III. State Revenues - Complete this only when proposal will increase or decrease state revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in license fee, ets.)						
	Increased Rev	Decreased Rev				
GPR Taxes	\$	. \$				
GPR Earned						
FED						
PRO/PRS						
SEG/SEG-S						
TOTAL State Revenues	\$	\$				
NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT						
	<u>State</u>	<u>Local</u>				
NET CHANGE IN COSTS	\$See Text	\$				
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE	\$	\$				
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