JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

CONCERNING STATE FUNDING OF FIREFIGHTING AIRCRAFT TO RESPOND TO WILDFIRES.

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Appropriation Items of Note

Appropriation Not Required, No Amendment in Packet

General Fund Impact

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 02/22/2021.

XXX	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	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

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
None.	

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill neither requires nor contains an appropriation clause for FY 2020-21.

Points to Consider

The Joint Budget Committee (JBC) has proposed a supplemental budget package for FY 2020-21 based on the December 2020 Office of State Planning and Budget revenue forecast. The \$30,800,000 General Fund transfer to the Colorado Firefighting Air Corps Fund in FY 2020-21 included in this bill will reduce by \$30,800,000 the amount of General Fund reserve that is carried forward into FY 2021-22. The JBC has included as part of its FY 2020-21 supplemental

budget package the \$30,800,000 General Fund revenue decrease that would result from the passage of this bill.