

**JBC Staff Fiscal Analysis**  
**House Appropriations Committee**

Concerning changes to the recovery audit contractor program, and, in connection therewith, making and reducing an appropriation.

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**Prime Sponsors:**

Senators Kirkmeyer; Bridges  
Representatives Bird; Sirota

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**Fiscal Impacts**

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Appropriation Already Added to Bill, No Amendment in Packet

**Fiscal Note Status**

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The most recent Legislative Council Staff Revised Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 04/30/25.

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

**Amendments in This Packet**

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None.

**Current Appropriations Clause in Bill**

The bill includes an appropriation clause that replaces \$20,900,588 in appropriations to the Department of Health Care Policy and Financing for FY 2025-26 from recoveries and recoupments with appropriations from the Recovery Audit Contractor Recoveries Cash Fund.

**Points to Consider**

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**General Fund Impact**

The Joint Budget Committee (JBC) proposed a budget package for FY 2025-26 based on the March 2025 Office of State Planning and Budgeting revenue forecast. The JBC included as part of its FY 2025-26 budget package \$500,000 General Fund to be appropriated for implementation of this bill. This version of the bill does not include any increase in General Fund appropriations.