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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 357, L.D. 447, "Resolve, Authorizing Sharon Huff and Raymond Huff to Sue the State"

Amend the resolve by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

'FISCAL NOTE

This resolve allows the State to be sued up to a maximum amount of \$400,000, including costs and interest. If the plaintiff is successful, a General Fund appropriation for the recovery will be necessary. The amount and timing of the appropriation will depend on when the suit is filed and its outcome.

The Department of the Attorney General and the Department of Human Services can absorb the additional costs of defending this claim within existing resources.

The Judicial Department can absorb the additional workload and administrative costs associated with this individual case within its existing resources. An additional filing fee will increase General Fund revenue by a minor amount.'

SUMMARY

This amendment is the minority report of the committee and adds a fiscal note to the resolve.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT