COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 4196-02

Bill No.: Truly Agreed to and Finally Passed SCS for SB 1071
Subject: Weights and Measures; Department of Agriculture

Type: Original Date: May 3, 2002

FISCAL SUMMARY

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2003 | FY 2004 | FY 2005 | | | | | |
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| Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | | | | | |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | | | | |
|--|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2003 | FY 2004 | FY 2005 | | | | |
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| Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | | | | |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2003 | FY 2004 | FY 2005 | | | |
| Local Government | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | | | |

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Agriculture** assume this proposal would eliminate the assessment of interest and penalty charges for nonpayment of scale inspection fees and replace those charges with an administrative hearing process, as well as update terminology used in model weights and measures law. The Department of Agriculture estimates the lost revenues at \$1000 for FY2003 and \$4000 for FY2004.

Oversight assumes this proposal would have minimal impact on the Department of Agriculture.

| FISCAL IMPACT - State Government | FY 2003 (10 Mo.) | FY 2004 | FY 2005 |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|
| | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |
| FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government | FY 2003 (10 Mo.) | FY 2004 | FY 2005 |
| | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

This proposal makes technical changes to statutes dealing with weighing and measuring devices including point-of-sale systems.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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