



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1614

PRINTERS NO. 1788

PRIME SPONSOR: Warner

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2021/22	FY 2022/23
General Fund	\$0	\$0
County Funds	\$0	See "Fiscal Impact"

**SUMMARY:** Amends the Pennsylvania Election Code to change the requirement for the number of ballots to be provided to an election district. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

**ANALYSIS:** This legislation removes current provisions requiring a certain number of ballots to be provided to a polling place for an election, and will instead require that in any primary election, ballots equal to 50% of the total number of registered voters in an election district must be provided, and that in a general election, ballots equal to 100% of the total number of registered voters in an election district must be provided.

Each of these numbers could be reduced by the number of registered voters in an election district that have requested an absentee or mail-in ballot.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** This legislation would have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds. To the extent that this legislation would require a county to print additional ballots, a county could incur some additional, minimal costs. Any estimate of such costs is indeterminable at this point.

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*Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.*