

**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
FISCAL NOTE**

BILL NO. House Bill 2283

PRINTER'S NO. 3598

AMOUNT

\$5,165,000

FUND

General Fund – Restricted Revenue Account

DATE INTRODUCED

May 29, 2014

PRIME SPONSOR

Representative Adolph

DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE OF BILL

House Bill 2283 appropriates \$5,165,000 from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Consumer Advocate in the Office of the Attorney General for fiscal year 2014-2015. Funds in the restricted revenue account are generated from assessments on utilities regulated by the Public Utility Commission.

House Bill 2283 funds the Office of Consumer Advocate at the level recommended in the Governor's Fiscal Year 2014-2015 budget. The appropriation is level-funded at the fiscal year 2013-14 amount.

The act takes effect July 1, 2014, or immediately, whichever is later.