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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number:	S. 0202	Introduced on January 8, 2019
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Subject:	Post-Election Audits	
Requestor:	Senate Judiciary	
RFA Analyst(s):	Miller	
Impact Date:	January 29, 2019	

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill will have no expenditure impact to the General Fund because any modifications made to the post-election audit practice will be managed within the Election Commission's existing appropriations.

Additionally, this bill will have no impact to local expenditures because any modifications made to the post-election audit practices are expected to be managed within existing appropriations.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

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State Expenditure

This bill grants the Election Commission the authority to promulgate regulations for the administration of post-election audits. These audits must be performed by the county boards of registration and elections. Once finished, the audits must be made available to the public. Currently, post-election audits are performed. This bill may allow the Election Commission to modify the current audit practices if it deems appropriate. The Election Commission anticipates any changes made to the current audit practices can be managed within existing appropriations.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

This bill requires post-election audits be performed by the county boards of registration and elections. Once finished, the audits must be made available to the public. Currently, post-election audits are performed by the county boards of registration and election with assistance from the Election Commission. It is anticipated that any changes made to the current post-election audit and making the audits available to the public can be managed within existing appropriations for the county boards of registration and elections. Therefore, this bill will have no impact on local expenditures.

Local Revenue

N/A

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