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Abstract: Requires any legislative instrument with an estimated decrease in revenues to the state of \$500,000 or more, to be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee, if reported by a different standing committee.

<u>Present House Rule</u> (House Rule 6.8) requires the recommittal of certain legislative instruments including constitutional amendments (Civil Law & Procedure); resolutions proposing certain studies (House and Governmental Affairs); the Capital Outlay Bill (Appropriations); the MFP concurrent resolution (Appropriations); special funds (Appropriations); Senate instruments with a net decrease in fees or a net increase in fees or taxes of \$500,000 or more (Ways & Means); public records exceptions (House and Governmental Affairs); and provisions to join an interstate compact (House and Governmental Affairs).

<u>Present House Rule</u> also requires any legislative instrument with an estimated fiscal cost of \$100,000 or more annually of state general funds in any one of the three ensuing fiscal years as reflected in the fiscal note or with a fiscal cost that, although not specified, is indicated in the fiscal note as likely to be \$100,000 or more annually of state general funds in any of the three ensuing fiscal years to be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations if reported by another standing committee.

<u>Proposed House Rule</u> further requires any legislative instrument that is estimated to cause or result in a reduction in revenues to the state of \$500,000 or more annually in any one of the three ensuing fiscal years as reflected in the fiscal note to be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations if reported by another standing committee.

(Adds House Rule 6.8(F)(2))