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Fiscal Note On: **HB 418** HLS 16RS 792

Bill Text Version: REENGROSSED

Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For .:

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Dept./Agy.: Police Superintendent/City of New Orleans

Subject: Employment of traffic control officers

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TRAFFIC RE NO IMPACT LF EX See Note Provides relative to downtown traffic control in the city of New Orleans

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Purpose of Bill: This bill authorizes the Superintendent of Police in the City of New Orleans to employ traffic control officers within the city of New Orleans in order to direct, control and regulate traffic and further requires that the NOPD shall establish a training program for such traffic control officers. However, such officers shall not have the authority to issue traffic citations.

EXPENDITURES	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

An official with the Superintendent's office indicated that they already employ officers to enforce certain municipal codes. This bill would authorize these officers to direct traffic (as one of their duties) after receiving appropriate training. We were informed that training (as provided for in this bill) is already provided. Therefore, the bill creates no new expenditure of local funds.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate <u>Dual Referral Rules</u> <u>House</u> 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}	6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}	M. G. Battle
13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}		Michael G. Battle Manager, Advisory Services