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Senate Joint Resolution E (Substitute S-1 as reported)
Sponsor: Senator Dave Hildenbrand
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CONTENT

Senate Joint Resolution E (S-1) proposes an amendment to the State Constitution that would require all general State appropriation bills for the succeeding fiscal period to be presented to the Governor at least 90 days before the start of that fiscal period. If the Legislature failed to present all general appropriation bills for the succeeding fiscal period to the Governor at least 90 days before the start of that fiscal period, then each legislator would forfeit his or her salary for each day after that date that all general appropriation bills had not been presented.

FISCAL IMPACT

The joint resolution would have minimal impact on the State and no impact on local units of government. The annual salary of each State legislator is \$71,685, which equates to \$196.39 per day. To the extent that the appropriation bills were not presented to the Governor in a timely manner, there would be a reduction in State spending of approximately \$29,100 per day.

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