FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. H.3539, as Amended

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TO: The Honorable Larry A. Martin, Chairperson, Senate Judiciary Committee

FROM: State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board

ANALYSTS: K. Earle Powell

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AUTHOR: Representative Rutherford PRIMARY CODE CITE: 61-6-4160

SUBJECT: Sale of Alcohol on Election Day

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 3539, as Amended, removes the statutory prohibition on selling alcoholic liquors on statewide election days, and provides that it is unlawful for retail liquor stores to sell alcoholic liquors on Christmas Day.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The Department of Revenue indicates there is no fiscal impact with this Bill.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

The Board of Economic Advisors is the appropriate entity to address any revenue impact associated with this Bill.

Approved by:

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