



FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 20

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House Bill 20 as reported by the Committee on State Government could decrease receipts to the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) and the Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) by an undetermined amount dependent on the difference in (1) the amount of fees collected for permits issued for the dredging of sand and source sediment to be used for the construction of a living shoreline, and from the number of consistency determinations issued by ADEM to certain property owners at half of the fee rates otherwise charged and (2) the amount of fees collected under current practice. According to DCNR over the last two years there have been seven bulkhead permits and 17 living shoreline permits issued resulting in an estimated \$5,000 in permit fees collected.