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## Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

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**Version:** As Introduced

**Primary Sponsor:** Rep. Lampton

**Local Impact Statement Procedure Required:** No

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### Highlights

- The bill has no direct fiscal effect on the state or political subdivisions.

### Detailed Analysis

The bill specifically states that an injury or disability sustained by an employee who performs the employee's duties in a work area that is located within the employee's home is not considered an injury for compensation or benefits under the Workers' Compensation Law, unless all of the following apply: (a) the injury or disability arises out of the employee's employment, (b) the employee's employment necessarily exposes the employee to conditions that substantially contribute to the risk of injury or disability, and (c) the injury or disability is sustained in the course of an activity undertaken by the employee for the exclusive benefit of the employer. According to an official at the Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC), the bill does not have any fiscal impact to BWC.