

# SENATE STAFF ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

BILL: HB 1707

SPONSOR: Fiscal Responsibility Council

SUBJECT: Energy Management

DATE: April 30, 2001

REVISED: \_\_\_\_\_

	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1.	Hendon	Wood	AP	Favorable
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## I. Summary:

This bill repeals a requirement, as provided by section 255.257, F. S., for the Department of Management Services to develop and implement an energy management plan for state agencies occupying state-owned or state-leased buildings.

The change reflects budget reductions contained within the House Appropriations bill. One full-time equivalent (FTE) position is eliminated and spending authority of \$53,000 is reduced in the Supervision Trust Fund in the Department of Management Services.

## II. Present Situation:

In section 255.257, F. S., state agencies are required to collect and submit to the Department of Management Services data on energy consumption and cost on state-owned facilities and metered state-leased facilities of 5,000 net square feet or more. The Department is required to develop and implement an energy plan for these state agencies.

## III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The Department would no longer be required to collect energy data and develop a plan; however, the individual agencies would continue to have responsibilities to assess energy consumption in facilities and other energy-consuming activities under their control.

**IV. Constitutional Issues:**

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

This bill does not require counties or municipalities to spend funds or take an action requiring the expenditure of funds.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

**V. Economic Impact and Fiscal Note:**

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

C. Government Sector Impact: FY 2001-02

Recurring		
Salaries and Benefits	FTE (1)	(46,146)
Expenses		<u>( 6,854)</u>
Total Supervision Trust Fund		(53,000)

**VI. Technical Deficiencies:**

None.

**VII. Related Issues:**

None.

**VIII. Amendments:**

None.