## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FISCAL NOTE STATEMENT LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

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HOUSE BILL NUMBER 502

**TITLE** AN ACT relating to the Department of Financial Institutions.

**SPONS**OR Representative Matt Lockett

FISCAL SUMMARY
STATE FISCAL IMPACT:   YES  NO  UNCERTAIN
OTHER FISCAL STATEMENT(S) THAT MAY APPLY: ☐ ACTUARIAL ANALYSIS ☐ LOCAL MANDATE ☐ CORRECTIONS IMPACT ☐ HEALTH BENEFIT MANDATE
APPROPRIATION UNIT(S) IMPACTED: <u>Department of Financial Institutions</u>
$FUND(S)\ IMPACTED: \ \ \Box\ GENERAL\ \ \Box\ ROAD\ \ \Box\ FEDERAL\ \ \boxtimes\ RESTRICTED\ \underline{FI\ Securities\ Fund,}$ $\underline{FI\ Depository\ Institutions,}\ FI\ Non-Depository\ Institutions$

FISCAL ESTIMATES	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026	ANNUAL IMPACT AT FULL IMPLEMENTATION
REVENUES				
EXPENDITURES		\$2.3 million - \$5.4	\$2.3 million - \$5.4	\$2.3 million - \$5.4
		million	million	million
NET EFFECT		(\$2.3 million - \$5.4	(\$2.3 million - \$5.4	(\$2.3 million - \$5.4
		million)	million)	million)

<sup>( )</sup> indicates a decrease/negative

**PURPOSE OF MEASURE:** This bill requires the Commissioner of the Department of Financial Institutions to establish a salary schedule for examiners and assistant examiners that will be equivalent to the salaries paid by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), Securities and Exchange Commission, and other similar federal supervisory agencies.

**FISCAL EXPLANATION:** The Department of Financial Institutions would have an increase in salary and fringe benefits for the current 85 examiners and assistant examiners of approximately \$2.3 million if employee salaries were raised to the FDIC minimum pay or \$5.4 million if raised to the FDIC average pay.

DATA SOURCE(S): LRC Staff, Department of Financial Institutitions, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

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