

**ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2022**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB937**

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**Hearing Date:** Tuesday February 01, 2022  
**Committee On:** Appropriations  
**Introducer:** Geist  
**One Liner:** Appropriate funds to the Legislative Council for economic modeling software

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Advanced to General File

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**Vote Results:**

<b>Aye:</b>	7	Senators Clements, Dorn, Erdman, McDonnell, Stinner, Vargas, Wishart
<b>Nay:</b>	2	Senators Hilkemann, Kolterman
<b>Absent:</b>		
<b>Present Not Voting:</b>		

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**Oral Testimony:**

**Proponents:**  
Senator Suzanne Geist

**Representing:**  
Introducer

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**  
Stephanie Meese

**Representing:**  
Legislative Audit Office

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB937 appropriates \$88,500 from the General Fund in FY2023-24 to the Legislative Council to acquire a license for the REMI Tax-PI economic modeling software. The software is intended to improve performance audits by enhancing the ability of the Legislative Audit Office to analyze the economic impacts of audited programs. An ongoing annual maintenance charge of \$28,500 is included in intent language.

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John Stinner, Chairperson