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3 **Title: Fiscal Note Transparency**  
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5 **Introduced by: Michael Oleyar for the Medical Student Section**  
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9 **Referred to: Reference Committee C**  
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11 **House Action: Adopted as Amended**

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14 **Whereas, a fiscal note estimating the cost of implementation is attached**  
15 **to resolutions proposing projects and programs beyond MSMS standard**  
16 **operations, and**

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18 **Whereas, current notes are presented as a summative figure and no**  
19 **itemization of component costs is readily available, and**

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21 **Whereas, the size of the fiscal note often shapes debate and influences**  
22 **whether or not a resolution will be adopted, and**

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24 **Whereas, a fiscal note may represent a method of implementation**  
25 **unintended by the author of a resolution, and**

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27 **Whereas, improved transparency of fiscal notes would enable delegates**  
28 **to make more educated and fair assessments of the fiscal impact of their vote;**  
29 **therefore be it**

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31 **RESOLVED: That MSMS design and implement an itemized format for**  
32 **fiscal notes, which outlines each major component of implementation, the**  
33 **costs associated with each component, and the summative cost for all**  
34 **components taken together.**

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37 **WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE**