

Fiscal Note 2027 Biennium

Bill#/Title: SB0081: Revise lease of state lands for underground gas storage											
Primary Sponsor:	Josh Kassmier		Status:	As Introduced							
☐ Included in the Executive Budget		☐ Needs to be included in HB 2		☐ Significant Local Gov Impact							
☐ Significant Long-Term Impacts		☐ Technical Concerns		☐ Dedicated Revenue Form Attached							
		FISCAL SU	MMARY								
		FY 2026 Difference	FY 2027 Difference	FY 2028 Difference	FY 2029 Difference						
Expenditures General Fund (0)	1)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						
Revenues General Fund (0)	1)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						
Net Impact General Fund B	alance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						

Description of fiscal impact

SB 81 allows the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) to lease state trust lands for underground storage of gas or liquified gas. Lease revenues from this activity would benefit trust beneficiaries but cannot be determined at this time.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions

Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC)

DNRC is unable to estimate the amount of potential lease revenue from the underground storage of gas or
natural gas at this time. Lease revenues would be determined by the number of entities requesting to lease
state trust land for underground storage and the fair market value of the storage. It may take several years
for these leases to materialize, therefore the agency cannot determine the potential future revenue at this
time.

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Sponsor's Initials	Date			Budget Director's Initials	Date	