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## AN ACT CONCERNING PRICE GOUGING. AMENDMENT

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### **OFA Fiscal Note**

#### **State Impact:**

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 22 \$	FY 23 \$
Consumer Protection, Dept.	GF - Eliminates Potential Cost in Bill	143,884	148,201
State Comptroller - Fringe Benefits <sup>1</sup>	GF - Eliminates Potential Cost in Bill	59,424	61,207

Note: GF=General Fund

**Municipal Impact:** None

#### **Explanation**

The amendment specifies that the Attorney General shall have the exclusive authority to enforce any violation of the underlying bill which eliminates the potential cost to the Department of Consumer Protection and the State Comptroller.

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<sup>1</sup>The fringe benefit costs for most state employees are budgeted centrally in accounts administered by the Comptroller. The estimated active employee fringe benefit cost associated with most personnel changes is 41.3% of payroll in FY 22 and FY 23.

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