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AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ENERGY EFFICIENCY RETROFIT
GRANT PROGRAM FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

AMENDMENT

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OFA Fiscal Note

Cost

The amendment eliminates a requirement for certain types of affordable housing units to be deed-restricted. This results in a cost to the Department of Housing (DOH) because it will change the workload associated with producing the agency's annual list of municipalities that are exempt from the affordable housing appeals procedure, as well as for evaluating town applications for moratoriums. The ongoing cost for a new housing specialist is anticipated to be approximately \$96,000 in FY 22 and \$99,000 in FY 23, including fringe benefits.

The amendment has no fiscal impact on municipalities, as it does not impact the cost of administering or enforcing any zoning ordinance.

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