

POLICY CONSIDERATIONS/QUESTIONS

1. Request that departments include information on the number of jobs retained and the number of jobs created as a result of the stimulus funding received to the extent possible.

Adopted by Committee with the understanding that information will be shared in an outline format with the Committee to share with all Committee members. The Committee also asked that the information be made available to the Auditor for her purposes or to agencies so that agreement on the methodology can be developed and a uniform standard can be used to assess the economic impact of stimulus funds.

2. State agencies should adopt this as the new standard for public information across all funding sources relative to new jobs or jobs maintained, and applicable to services if at all possible, once sites are up and running.

Adopted by Committee in general with the understanding that it will be applied in broad categories to both state services and programs. Staff to develop with witness after model is refined.

3. State agencies should include a contact list on each agency web site for local entities seeking information on available funding from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act to inform them who to contact to obtain such information.