

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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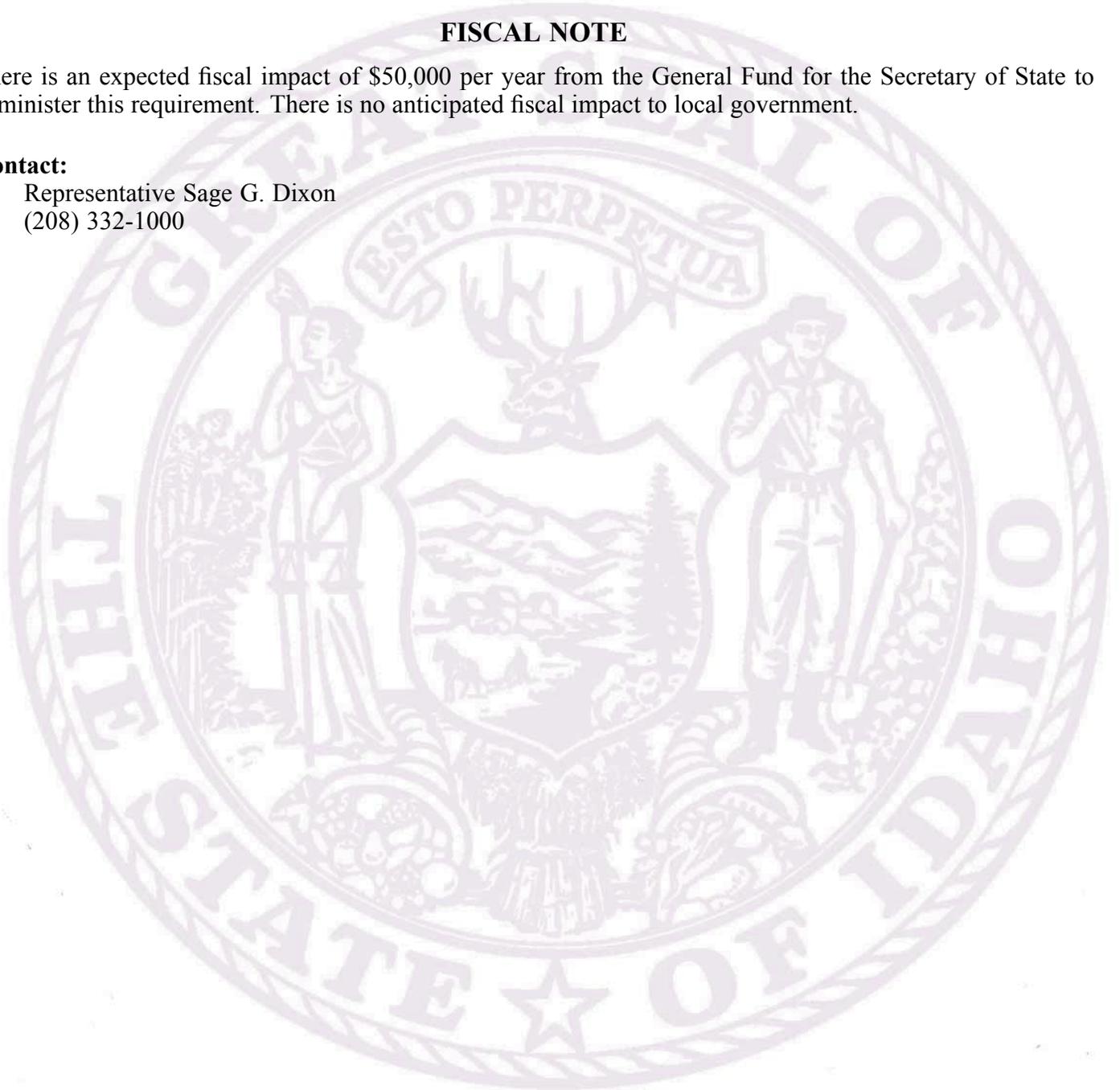
This legislation is intended to protect the integrity of the initiative and referendum process by requiring paid signature gatherers to register with the Secretary of State. The legislation also includes a requirement that signature gatherers must complete a training administered by the Secretary of State.

FISCAL NOTE

There is an expected fiscal impact of \$50,000 per year from the General Fund for the Secretary of State to administer this requirement. There is no anticipated fiscal impact to local government.

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