HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

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BILL: CS/SJR 2144

SPONSOR: Ways & Means Comittee and Senator Atwater

SUBJECT: State Budget Planning & Spending

PREPARED BY: Senate Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations

DATE: May 4, 2005

I. Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 – 883407 (body)

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 – This is the amendment agreed to by Senator Carlton and Representative Negron to clarify that the purpose of the long-range financial outlook is to "assist the legislature in making budget decisions".