DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

PROPERTY TAX Tribal Nation Aid Program

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Department of Revenue

| | Yes | No |
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| DOR Administrative Costs/Savings | X | |

Analysis of H.F. 3068 (Gomez) as proposed to be amended by H3068A1

| | Fund Impact | | | |
|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | F.Y. 2024 | F.Y. 2025 | F.Y. 2026 | F.Y. 2027 |
| | (000's) | | | |
| General Fund | \$0 | (\$75,000) | (\$75,000) | (\$75,000) |

Effective beginning with aids payable 2024.

EXPLANATION OF THE BILL

The proposal would create an aid program for eleven federally recognized tribal nations. The aid program would have a \$75 million annual appropriation. Each tribe would receive \$3,409,091, with the remaining appropriation split proportionately based on each tribe's share of total enrolled members.

REVENUE ANALYSIS DETAIL

- The new aid program would increase annual state general fund costs by \$75 million for fiscal year 2025 and thereafter.
- There would be no property tax or income tax interactions as tribal governments do not levy property taxes.

PROPERTY TAX BENCHMARKS (Minn. Stat. § 270C.991)

| Transparency, Understandability, Simplicity & Accountability | Neutral |
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| Efficiency & Compliance | Neutral |
| Equity (Vertical & Horizontal) | Neutral |
| Stability & Predictability | Neutral |
| Competitiveness for Businesses | Neutral |
| Responsiveness to Economic Conditions | Neutral |

The bill is scored on a three-point scale (decrease, neutral, increase) for each principle in comparison to current law.

Source: Minnesota Department of Revenue Property Tax Division – Research Unit https://www.revenue.state.mn.us/revenue-analyses

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