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Overview

This bill eliminates both the state auditor enterprise fund and the state auditor's authority to bill local governments for auditing services. The effect of this change is that all funds to support the state auditor's operations must be appropriated to the Office of the State Auditor by law.

Under the existing enterprise fund structure, local government billing receipts are credited to the enterprise fund and are available to the state auditor automatically, without the need for an additional legislative appropriation.

Although the bill-for-service authorization is repealed in the bill, the state auditor would continue to be permitted to bill and collect for services rendered before July 1, 2017.