

**BILL SUMMARY**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 57<sup>th</sup> Legislature

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| <b>Bill No.:</b>       | <b>SB1439</b>                                      |
| <b>Version:</b>        | <b>Engrossed</b>                                   |
| <b>Request Number:</b> |  |
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| <b>Date:</b>           | <b>4/8/2020</b>                                    |
| <b>Impact:</b>         | <b>Please see previous summary of this measure</b> |

**Research Analysis**

SB 1439 doubles the amount of the surety bond required of a person drilling or operating a well for exploration or production of oil or brine, or as an injection or disposal well. The amount of the bond increases from \$25,000 to \$50,000 for an operator of four or fewer wells, and from \$100,000 to \$200,000 for an operator of more than four wells.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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**Other Considerations**

None.