

HF1582 - 1A - "Body Piercing Tech License Requirements"

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State Fiscal Impact	Yes	No
Expenditures	X	
Fee/Departmental Earnings		X
Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

This table shows direct impact to state government only. Local government impact, if any, is discussed in the narrative. Reductions shown in the parentheses.

State Cost (Savings)	Biennium			Biennium		
	Dollars in Thousands	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
State Government Special Rev	-	-	4	4	4	4
Total	-	-	4	4	4	4
Biennial Total			4			8

Full Time Equivalent Positions (FTE)	Biennium			Biennium	
	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
State Government Special Rev	-	-	.05	.05	.05
Total	-	-	.05	.05	.05

Executive Budget Officer's Comment

I have reviewed this fiscal note for reasonableness of content and consistency with MMB's Fiscal Note policies.

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State Cost (Savings) Calculation Details

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*Transfers In/Out and Absorbed Costs are only displayed when reported.

State Cost (Savings) = 1-2		Biennium			Biennium	
Dollars in Thousands		FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
State Government Special Rev		-	-	4	4	4
Total		-	-	4	4	4
Biennial Total				4		8
1 - Expenditures, Absorbed Costs*, Transfers Out*						
State Government Special Rev		-	-	4	4	4
Total		-	-	4	4	4
Biennial Total				4		8
2 - Revenues, Transfers In*						
State Government Special Rev		-	-	-	-	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-
Biennial Total				-		-

Bill Description

This bill amends existing body piercing laws.

Section 1 expands the definition of supervision to include definitions of direct supervision and indirect supervision of piercers who are in training.

Section 2 adds new requirements relative to supervised experience and safety training for all piercers after January 1st 2017.

Section 3 requires the Commissioner of Health to notify a licensed technician 60 days before a license expires.

Section 4 adjusts an internal statutory reference to align with the amendments.

Section 5 requires that person applying for a body piercing technician license or a dual body art technician license must complete a minimum of 250 body piercings under direct supervision and 250 under indirect supervision.

Section 6 clarifies that the identification requirement in subdivision 1 of §146B.01 applies only to clients who state they are over 18 years of age.

Section 7 sets consent and identification requirements when an individual under the age of 18 seeks to be pierced.

Assumptions

It is assumed that the bill takes effective August 1, 2017 except for new licensure requirements, which take effect January 1st, 2017. It is assumed that all body artists renew their license in March.

It is assumed that 60% of persons with temporary licenses will go on to become fully licensed.

Processing applications for licenses will take longer due to the new regulations in the bill. It is estimated that a temporary license will take an additional 30 minutes and other licenses will take an additional 10 minutes per application. The number

of applications have been increasing 8.5% per year. This will take an overall additional .04 FTE to process. Assumptions are:

Additional processing time	#/yr	Minutes/ application	2016	2017	2018	2019
Temporary Licenses	35	30	0 hrs	19 hrs	21 hrs	22 hrs
Piercer - Renewal	335	10	0 hrs	61 hrs	66 hrs	66 hrs
Piercer - New	21	10	0 hrs	4 hrs	4 hrs	4 hrs
		Total Hrs	0 hrs	84 hrs	91 hrs	92 hrs
		Hours/year	0	2080	2080	2080
		Total FTE	0	0.04	0.04	0.04

Additional licensing work will thus require .04 FTE. Support and management of this additional work is estimated to be .014 FTE, for a total FTE impact of .05 FTE.

Fees are not being increased to cover this additional cost.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

EXPENDITURES	SFY15	SFY16	SFY17	SFY18	SFY19
Salary and Fringe Benefits	0	0	3	3	3
Other Operating Costs	0	0	0	0	0
Grants	0	0	0	0	0
Administrative Services	0	0	0	0	0
OR Indirect Cost	0	0	1	1	1
TOTAL EXPENSES	0	0	4	4	4
TOTAL REVENUES	0	0	0	0	0

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

There is no revenue in the SGSR fund to support these costs. This would create a \$20,800 deficit in the SGSR fund over five years.

Local Fiscal Impact

N/A.

References/Sources

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