

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DOT 12/3/2007

LRB Number	07-1835/2	Introduction Number	SB-310	Estimate Type	Original
Description Anatomical gifts, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

BILL SUMMARY

This broad proposal aims to make changes to Wisconsin anatomical gift law based on the Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act of 2006.

ASSUMPTIONS

- The bill creates new guidelines for three specific circumstances of anatomical gift donation:
 - the declaration of a gift by a donor or representative
 - the revocation or amendment of a gift already declared
 - the refusal of a gift (formal declaration of refusal to participate in an anatomical gift)
- The bill expands and reprioritizes the list of persons who may make an anatomical gift on behalf of a deceased person
- The bill allows donors that are 15½ years old or an emancipated minor to declare an anatomical gift. The law previously was set at 18 years old.
- A new crime is created for falsification, forgery, concealment, etc. of a record of an anatomical gift. A person convicted of the crime would be guilty of a Class H felony with a fine up to \$50,000.
- The bill requires DOT to supply anatomical gift information to procurement organizations if they reasonably identify the potential donor.

CONCLUSION

No apparent fiscal impact on the Department.

The bill allows the Department of Health and Family Services to create a donor registry, and requires DOT to cooperate with DHFS to do so. It also requires DHFS to promulgate administrative rules governing the registry. This project is currently underway and the Department is assisting DHFS.

DMV currently allows individuals 18 years and older to declare an anatomical gift of their driver license or identification card. Under this bill that age would be lowered to 15½. No changes to DMV operating systems would be required to achieve this change.

Finally the bill requires DOT to supply information to procurement organizations about organ donor status of an individual they reasonably identify. This is already accomplished by the WisDOT's Division of State Patrol.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

n/a

Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2007 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

Original
 Updated
 Corrected
 Supplemental

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I. One-time Costs or Revenue Impacts for State and/or Local Government (do not include in annualized fiscal effect): n/a			
II. Annualized Costs:		Annualized Fiscal Impact on funds from:	
		Increased Costs	Decreased Costs
A. State Costs by Category			
State Operations - Salaries and Fringes	\$		\$
(FTE Position Changes)			
State Operations - Other Costs			
Local Assistance			
Aids to Individuals or Organizations			
TOTAL State Costs by Category	\$		\$
B. State Costs by Source of Funds			
GPR			
FED			
PRO/PRS			
SEG/SEG-S			
III. State Revenues - Complete this only when proposal will increase or decrease state revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in license fee, etc.)			
	Increased Rev		Decreased Rev
GPR Taxes	\$		\$
GPR Earned			
FED			
PRO/PRS			
SEG/SEG-S			
TOTAL State Revenues	\$		\$
NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT			
	State		Local
NET CHANGE IN COSTS	\$		\$
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE	\$		\$
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