

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DATCP 3/26/2009

LRB Number	09-1738/1	Introduction Number	AB-0166	Estimate Type	Original
Description The use of pesticides by veterinarians and veterinary technicians					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Background

Wisconsin statutes and administrative code requires veterinary clinics that use, repackage for use, or prescribe pesticides, to obtain a Veterinary Clinic Permit. (Wis. State Stats. § 94.702, and Wis. Adm. Code § 29.23)

Examples of when a veterinary clinic would need a Veterinary Clinic Pesticide Use and Repackaging Permit:

1. Pesticide applications made to animals by clinic personnel who are not a licensed Veterinarian or Certified Veterinary Technician (CVT).
2. Veterinary clinics that repackage and distribute pesticide containing products.

Other regulations that govern the use, repackaging, and distribution of pesticide products include:

a. Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA)

1. Section 2
2. Section 3
3. Section 6
4. Section 7

b. Title 40 United States Code (USC)

1. Chapter 1, Subchapter E, Parts 150 – 179

c. Wisconsin State Statutes:

1. Chapter 94, Plant Industry, §§ 94.67 – 94.715

d. Wisconsin Administrative Code

1. Chapter ATCP 29, Pesticide Use and Control

The bill would exempt all veterinarians from the repackaging, and individual pesticide applicator certification requirements set forth by FIFRA and the USC, provided they are not functioning outside of normal veterinary practices with regard to pesticide use.

Pesticide Certification and Licensing Program Information

The Veterinary Clinic Pesticide Use and Repackaging permit timeframe starts on January 1 of even-numbered years, and expires on December 31 of odd-numbered years. Currently there are 385 permitted Veterinary Clinics. The fee for a Veterinary Clinic Pesticide Use and Repackaging permit is \$25.00. Veterinary clinics with multiple locations, operated by the permit holder, are covered under a single permit.

In 2008, the Department issued 385 Veterinary Clinic Pesticide Use and Repackaging permits. The fees received from administering this program were approximately \$9600.00.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2009 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):			
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 (ACM)			-9,600
TOTAL State Revenues	\$		\$-9,600
NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT			
	State		Local
NET CHANGE IN COSTS	\$		\$
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE	\$-9,600		\$
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