

Fiscal Estimate Narratives
COMM 3/2/2010

LRB Number	09-4055/1	Introduction Number	SB-557	Estimate Type	Original
Description Notices concerning construction near or on lakes, streams, or wetlands that are given to applicants for building permits and other construction approvals, requiring the Department of Natural Resources to furnish informational brochures about wetlands laws, requiring the Department of Natural Resources to provide evaluations and statements about whether certain land contains wetlands, and making an appropriation					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

2009 SB 557 contains provisions that allow persons who own or lease land to request certain services regarding wetlands (e.g., wetland map review). These services are provided by the Department of Natural Resources.

2009 SB 557 also contains provisions regarding forms for approval of construction activity. Specifically, building permits prescribed by the Department must contain information notifying building permit applicants that they must comply with state and federal laws regarding construction near wetlands, lakes, and streams. The Department estimates that the workload resulting from 2009 SB 557 would involve the updating of the prescribed, standard building permit form (which the Department has for residential construction) and that this workload can be absorbed within current resources.

Local units of government would also be required to include language regarding compliance with state and federal laws regarding construction near wetlands, lakes and stream on any building permits issued and also on other forms required for approval of construction activity. Additionally, local units of government must obtain written acknowledgement of the notification from each applicant, unless the form utilized is a standard Department form. Department-prescribed forms are utilized by local units of government for residential construction, but not commercial construction. The Department anticipates that local units of government can also absorb the workload resulting from this legislation within current resources.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2009 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

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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	\$0	\$0	
(FTE Position Changes)	(0.0 FTE)	(0.0 FTE)	
State Operations - Other Costs	0	0	
Local Assistance	0	0	
Aids to Individuals or Organizations	0	0	
TOTAL State Costs by Category	\$0	\$0	
B. State Costs by Source of Funds			
GPR	0	0	
FED	0	0	
PRO/PRS	0	0	
SEG/SEG-S	0	0	
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	\$0	\$0	
GPR Earned	0	0	
FED	0	0	
PRO/PRS	0	0	
SEG/SEG-S	0	0	
TOTAL State Revenues	\$0	\$0	
NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT			
	State	Local	
NET CHANGE IN COSTS	\$0	\$	
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE	\$0	\$	
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