



**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

**DATCP 12/18/2017**

LRB Number <b>17-4566/1</b>	Introduction Number <b>SB-487</b>	Estimate Type <b>Original</b>
<b>Description</b> grants to support donation of farm and food products to food banks and making an appropriation		

**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

This bill requires the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) to award an annual grant to a nonprofit organization that operates as a statewide association of food banks to promote the donation of excess and unmarketable farm and food products from farms and food processing facilities to food banks. The bill creates appropriation 20.115 (4)(ap) and provides \$250,000 in annual funding to create the Harvest for Hope grant program. The bill prohibits DATCP from awarding this grant after June 30, 2022.

If this bill is enacted into law, DATCP would incur costs to provide program management and administration of the grant program.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**