

Fiscal Estimate - 2019 Session

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LRB Number 19-2681/1	Introduction Number AB-0206	
Description regulating hemp, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation		
Fiscal Effect		
State: <input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs		
Local: <input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		
5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <u>0</u> <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts		
Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS		
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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill makes changes to current law to regulate industrial hemp and incorporates language from the 2018 federal farm bill. Hemp would be excluded from the definition of marijuana as it applies to the controlled substances act. Further the concentration of delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) contained in hemp would be excluded from the list of Schedule 1 controlled substances.

Under this bill the Division of State Patrol would continue to enforce the transport of industrial hemp and impaired-driving laws. This would require the Division of State Patrol to develop and implement a training video for sworn state troopers to identify and differentiate between marijuana and a cargo of industrial hemp and other hemp products. A 30-minute video that would be made available on the Department of Transportation online learn center would be created to train an estimated 480 sworn state troopers with a total impact of 0.12 FTE. This training could take place during normal working hours and would not require overtime hours. The video would take an estimated 40 hours to create with a total impact of 0.02 FTE.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications