COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

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Subject: Fees, Waste - Hazardous, Business and Commerce

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<u>Date</u>: January 26, 2005

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Total Estimated				
Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials with the **State Treasurer's Office** assume no fiscal impact to their agency.

Officials with the **Department of Natural Resources** assume current law directs the department to administer the Drycleaner Program through August 28, 2007. The proposed legislation adds 260.965 RSMo extending the expiration date to August 28, 2012 resulting in an additional five years of overseeing the program with the associated operating costs. The costs associated with the proposed extension would result in a continuation of existing costs and could not result in a request for additional resources beyond the original anticipated need.

This proposed legislation would also extend the date for the Hazardous Waste Management Commission to promulgate and adopt rules from July 1, 2002 to July 1, 2007. This provision would not result in additional fiscal impact for the department.

This proposal would also extend the period from July 1, 2004 to July 1, 2009 in which persons may notify the department of abandoned drycleaner facilities. Persons contacting the department may be eligible for corrective action funds from the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund. The department is unable to determine how many more persons would notify the department and choose to apply for funding, therefore fiscal impact from this change is unknown but cannot exceed corrective action funds available.

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<u>ASSUMPTION</u> (continued)

It is estimated that extending the expiration date of the Drycleaner Program would generate approximately \$730,000 annually to the Drycleaner Environmental Response Trust Fund. The department assumes the revenue will be used to fund continued investigation, assessment and remediation of releases of solvents from drycleaning facilities.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2006 (10 Mo.)	FY 2007	FY 2008
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2006 (10 Mo.)	FY 2007	FY 2008
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

Dry cleaning facilities will continue to operate under current statutes and pay applicable registration fees. Solvent suppliers will continue to pay a surcharge on the amount of solvents supplied to drycleaning facilities. More small businesses may be eligible for the program due to the widening of the eligibility window.

DESCRIPTION

This act extends the Dry Cleaning Fee until 2012. The act also requires that the Hazardous Waste Commission adopt rules to carry out the provisions of Sections 260.900 to 260.960, RSMo, no later than July 1, 2007.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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