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FISCAL NOTE

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Bill No.: SB 836

Date: January 19, 2016

Subject: Professional Registration and Licensing; Optometry; Higher Education

Bill Summary: This proposal provides that the statutory prohibition of the unlawful practice of optometry shall not apply to students enrolled in an approved school of optometry.

State Fiscal Highlights

- No direct fiscal impact on the state is anticipated.

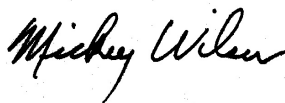
Local Fiscal Highlights

- No direct fiscal impact on local political subdivisions is anticipated.

Fiscal Analysis

Officials from the **Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration**, the **Department of Health and Senior Services** and the **Department of Higher Education** each assume the current proposal would not fiscally impact their respective agencies.

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal. Also, 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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