

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. NO. 2675-01
BILL NO. SB 685
SUBJECT: Alcohol: Health, Public
TYPE: Original
DATE: January 14, 2000

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None			
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None			
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Mental Health** and the **Department of Health** assume this proposal would not fiscally impact their agencies.

In response to an identical proposal last session, officials from the **Department of Public Safety - Division of Liquor Control**, assumed this proposal would not fiscally impact their agency.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
	\$0	\$0	\$0

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

This proposal would require licensed liquor establishments to post a warning sign notifying pregnant women that alcoholic beverages during pregnancy may cause birth defects. The impact would be minimal.

DESCRIPTION

This proposal requires any person licensed by the Division of Liquor Control to sell or serve alcoholic beverages at an establishment to post a warning sign stating that alcohol consumption during pregnancy may cause birth defects. The sign would be displayed in a conspicuous place. Failure to post the sign would be an infraction.

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

Department of Health
Department of Mental Health

NOT RESPONDING: Department of Public Safety - Division of Liquor Control

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeanne Jarrett". The signature is cursive and somewhat stylized, with a large initial "J".

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Director
January 14, 2000