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HB-5425

AN ACT CONCERNING HERITAGE RAILWAYS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR.

As Amended by House "A" (LCO 7868)

House Calendar No.: 202

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 26 \$	FY 27 \$
Resources of the General Fund	GF - Potential Revenue Loss	Up to 18,000	Up to 18,000

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill reduces the annual fee for a café permit from \$2,000 to \$200 for railways resulting in a potential revenue loss to the General Fund of up to \$18,000 per year. The potential revenue loss is dependent on how many café liquor permittees meet the requirements of a railway. It is anticipated this will affect less than ten café permittees.

House "A" strikes the underlying bill and its associated fiscal impact resulting in the impact described above.

The Out Years

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to the number of railways applying for a café permit.