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sHB-6977

AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
HEALTH'S RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING DRINKING
WATER.

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill, which makes conforming, clarifying and procedural changes related to the Department of Public Health's (DPH's) public drinking water oversight, results in no fiscal impact.

Section 1 conforms statute to current practice regarding license renewal for bulk water haulers, which results in no fiscal impact.

Sections 2 and 3 authorize the DPH commissioner to implement policies and procedures applicable to various sewage systems, as well as promulgate related technical standards, while in the process of adopting regulations. This results in no fiscal impact. The bill's language ensures that DPH has sufficient regulatory authority to fulfill its obligations under current law.

Section 4 makes procedural changes to DPH's review and approval process for new public water systems that reflect current practice and result in no fiscal impact.