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SB-611

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MAXIMUM CHARGE FOR CERTAIN OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES, CERTIFICATIONS, PERMITS AND REGISTRATIONS.

AMENDMENT

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

| Agency Affected | Fund-Effect | FY 26 \$ | FY 27 \$ |
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| Resources of the General Fund | GF - Revenue | 19,500,000 | 25,800,000 |
| | Loss | | |

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The amendment strikes the underlying bill and its associated fiscal impact resulting in the following impact.

The amendment removes license and application fees for various Department of Consumer Protection and Department of Public Health¹ licenses and permits resulting in a revenue loss of approximately \$19.5 million in FY 26² and \$25.8 million in FY 27.

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¹The elimination of certain occupational Department of Public Health licensure fees results in an approximate \$740,000 annual reduction in fee receipts dedicated to an assistance program for healthcare professionals, HAVEN.

 $^{^2}$ The revenue loss in FY 26 reflects three-quarters of a year due to the amendment's 10/1/25 effective date.

consulted as part of the analysis, however final products do not necessarily reflect an assessment from any specific department.