

# OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS

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sSB-368

AN ACT CONCERNING A STATE EXPLOSIVES, BLASTING AND  
PYROTECHNIC CODE.

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## **OFA Fiscal Note**

### **State Impact:**

<b>Agency Affected</b>	<b>Fund-Effect</b>	<b>FY 27 \$</b>	<b>FY 28 \$</b>
Emergency Services and Public Protection, Dept.	GF - Cost	187,871	187,871
State Comptroller - Fringe Benefits <sup>1</sup>	GF - Cost	78,568	78,568

Note: GF=General Fund

**Municipal Impact:** None

### **Explanation**

The bill requires the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection (DESPP) to adopt and administer a State Explosives, Blasting, and Pyrotechnic Code, resulting in a cost of \$266,439 annually for salary and fringe benefits associated with one new Staff Attorney and one new Paralegal Specialist. Developing, promulgating, and administering this code would be a new function for the agency and it is anticipated that DESPP will need these two new positions in its Legal Affairs Unit to meet the requirements of the bill.

### **The Out Years**

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to inflation.

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<sup>1</sup>The fringe benefit costs for most state employees are budgeted centrally in accounts administered by the Comptroller. The estimated active employee fringe benefit cost associated with most personnel changes is 41.82% of payroll in FY 27.