

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	13-2612/1	Introduction Number	AB-0362	Estimate Type	Original
Description Eliminating study on consolidating the Department of Safety and Professional Services and the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

One of the provisions included in the 2013 Wisconsin Act 20 was for the Department of Administration (DOA) to complete a study concerning the consolidation of the functions performed by the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) and the Department of Safety and Professional Services (DSPS) under a single new agency. This bill will repeal that requirement.

The fiscal impact of this bill on DATCP is indeterminate at this time. DATCP's role related to the study is to assist and provide programmatic/operational information to DOA for their review and comparison of similarities and differences between the two agencies. DATCP is not able to estimate the amount of staff time that will be needed to complete these tasks at this point in the study.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications