



## Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DNR 8/30/2005

LRB Number	05-3343/1	Introduction Number	SB-278	Estimate Type	Original
<b>Subject</b>					
Noise levels of snowmobiles					

### Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

#### Bill Summary:

This bill clarifies that the specific total vehicle noise level standards in current law apply only to new snowmobiles. The bill also creates separate noise level standards for exhaust and engine noise.

This bill would provide law enforcement a method to test snowmobile noise while the snowmobile is in the stationary position. It would create a definitive decibel level, and anyone operating above this level would automatically be in violation of state law.

#### State Fiscal Estimate:

Enforcement of noise laws using the proposed procedure and administration of the procedure will be absorbed into existing noise enforcement practices by the Department. Citation authority for sound enforcement already exists and will be shifted to the new procedure without an increase in costs. Equipment specified for use in the proposed rule already exists within the Department's law enforcement program. Sixty conservation wardens have already been trained on the procedures outlined in the proposed rule.

#### Local Fiscal Estimate:

County law enforcement officers are expected to receive training on the procedure at a Department-required training session. Any equipment necessary for testing snowmobile noise can be purchased and submitted for county reimbursement through the "law enforcement aids to counties" grant program.

### Long-Range Fiscal Implications

## Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2005 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

Original     
  Updated     
  Corrected     
  Supplemental

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<b>I. One-time Costs or Revenue Impacts for State and/or Local Government (do not include in annualized fiscal effect):</b>			
<b>II. Annualized Costs:</b>		<b>Annualized Fiscal Impact on funds from:</b>	
		Increased Costs	Decreased Costs
<b>A. State Costs by Category</b>			
State Operations - Salaries and Fringes		\$	
(FTE Position Changes)			
State Operations - Other Costs			
Local Assistance			
Aids to Individuals or Organizations			
<b>TOTAL State Costs by Category</b>		\$	\$
<b>B. State Costs by Source of Funds</b>			
GPR			
FED			
PRO/PRS			
SEG/SEG-S			
<b>III. State Revenues - Complete this only when proposal will increase or decrease state revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in license fee, etc.)</b>			
		Increased Rev	Decreased Rev
GPR Taxes		\$	\$
GPR Earned			
FED			
PRO/PRS			
SEG/SEG-S			
<b>TOTAL State Revenues</b>		\$	\$
<b>NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT</b>			
		<u>State</u>	<u>Local</u>
NET CHANGE IN COSTS		\$	\$
NET CHANGE IN REVENUE		\$	\$
<b>Agency/Prepared By</b>		<b>Authorized Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>
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