

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	09-4312/1	Introduction Number	AB-0767	Estimate Type	Original
Description Changes to the membership of the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, notification to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board of bills with an economic impact on small businesses, and the role of the Office of the Small Business Advocate in the Department of Commerce					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The bill would reduce current DWD workload in relation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board by removing the DWD representative from membership on the Board. It would also increase DWD workload by requiring the designation of a DWD small business regulatory coordinator to work with the Office of the Small Business Advocate to facilitate communication between small businesses and DWD. The bill would also possibly increase DWD workload by requiring DWD to work with the Board to resolve small business rule and enforcement issues raised by the Small Business Advocate. Because the DWD's programs usually involve extensive interaction with small businesses and small business issues, it is not possible to identify any cost separate from the agency's normal activities.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

None different than those summarized above.