

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	13-1292/1	Introduction Number	SB-313	Estimate Type	Original
Description Driver education instruction and driver's license examinations					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

AB 313 creates an additional requirement for the information that must be included in driver education courses that are created by Wisconsin technical colleges and submitted for course approval to the Wisconsin Technical College System (WTC) State Board.

The bill creates the new requirement that all driver education courses provide students with instruction in proper procedures for attaching a trailer to a motor vehicle. The new requirements would necessitate modifications to existing driver education curriculum at the six technical colleges that offer basic driver education courses. Local colleges would be required to address the costs of curriculum modifications and incorporate the changes to ensure that they are available to courses that begin after the effective date of the bill, which is the first day of the 4th month after publication.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

If additional colleges developed curriculum to offer basic driver's education courses, they would be required to include the additional educational requirements as part of their curriculum development. Including the additional requirement in new curriculum development would not create long-range fiscal implications.