

Fiscal Estimate - 2019 Session

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LRB Number 19-0335/1	Introduction Number AB-0300
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Description
 requiring political subdivisions and Marquette University to pay health insurance premiums for survivors of a law enforcement officer who dies in the line of duty and making an appropriation

Fiscal Effect

State:

<input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs
<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations		

Local:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs		5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate		
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	

Fund Sources Affected	Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS	20.155(3)(t), 20.155(3)(u)

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

AB 300 requires a political subdivision and Marquette University to pay health insurance premiums for the surviving spouse and dependent children of a law enforcement officer who dies in the line of duty if the entity had paid such premiums while the individual was employed.

Entities that pay such premiums must file for reimbursement of costs with the Commission. Thus, there is no local government cost. AB 300 creates a sum sufficient appropriation, Wis. Stat. 20.155(3)(u), which is funded by the police and fire protection fee, to make the reimbursements from. The police and fire protection fee is currently collected by communication providers and prepaid wireless retailers from their customers and remitted to the Department of Revenue.

The Commission may contract with the Department of Revenue to administer the reimbursement process. The administrative costs would be funded by Wis. Stat. 20.155(3)(t), an existing Commission appropriation for police and fire protection fee administration. The Commission believes that it may be possible to absorb both the administrative costs and tasks with existing agency resources.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications