

Fiscal Estimate - 2019 Session

Original
 Updated
 Corrected
 Supplemental

LRB Number 19-4311/1	Introduction Number AB-0516
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Description
 labeling a food product as a type of milk and granting rule-making authority

Fiscal Effect

State:

No State Fiscal Effect
 Indeterminate
 Increase Existing Appropriations
 Increase Existing Revenues
 Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget
 Decrease Existing Appropriations
 Decrease Existing Revenues

 Yes No
 Create New Appropriations

 Decrease Costs

Local:

No Local Government Costs
 Indeterminate

1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	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 <u>0</u> <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	

Fund Sources Affected	Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS	20.115(1)(a), 20.115(1)(gb)

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DATCP 10/22/2019

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill defines the labeling of food product as milk but also includes a prohibition on the statutory language change if less than ten states of the fifteen states listed in the bill have a similar prohibition otherwise the prohibition does not apply after June 30, 2031. If the statutory language is enacted, the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) and local health departments acting as agents during the course of regular inspections at food processing plants and retail food establishments would check food package labels for compliance with the statutory requirements. DATCP and its agents would also conduct an unknown number of investigations in response to complaints that businesses had failed to comply with the new requirements. DATCP anticipates needing to train staff and modify forms but those costs would be minimal and could be supported within DATCP's existing budget.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

DATCP does not anticipate incurring significant costs long term for the statutory language change if enacted.