

Fiscal Estimate - 2019 Session

Original Updated Corrected Supplemental

LRB Number 19-2612/2	Introduction Number SB-188
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Description
regulating hemp, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation

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
 - Yes No
 - Decrease Existing Appropriations Decrease Existing Revenues
 - Create New Appropriations Decrease Costs

Local:

- No Local Government Costs
- Indeterminate
 - 1. Increase Costs 3. Increase Revenue
 - Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory
 - 2. Decrease Costs 4. Decrease Revenue
 - Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory
- 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected
 - Towns Village Cities
 - Counties Others
 - School Districts WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected

Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The State Public Defender (SPD) is statutorily authorized and required to appoint attorneys to represent indigent defendants in criminal and certain commitment proceedings. The SPD plays a critical role in ensuring that the Wisconsin justice system complies with the right to counsel provided by both the state and federal constitutions. Any legislation has the potential to increase SPD costs if it creates a new criminal offense, expands the definition of an existing criminal offense, or increases the penalties for an existing offense.

The bill does not provide for a new criminal offense, expand the definition of a criminal offense, or increase criminal penalties. The bill makes several changes to current law relating to industrial hemp. The SPD does not anticipate a significant increase or decrease in its caseload as a result of this proposal.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications