

### Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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  Supplemental

<b>LRB Number</b> <b>21-3346/1</b>	<b>Introduction Number</b> <b>SB-350</b>
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**Description**  
 prohibiting food and beverages from being served in foam polystyrene packaging and providing a penalty

**Fiscal Effect**

**State:**

No State Fiscal Effect  
 Indeterminate

<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease 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"/> Decrease Costs
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**Local:**

No Local Government Costs  
 Indeterminate

1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<b>5. Types of Local Government Units Affected</b> <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
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<b>Fund Sources Affected</b>	<b>Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations</b>
<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	s. 20.115(1)(a), s 20.115(1)(gb)

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

The bill would require the Department to devote staff resources to educating business operators, creating procedures for evaluating waiver requests, conducting the waiver request evaluations and enforcing violations of the bill's provisions. The staff resources needed would be shifted from existing functions. The majority of business affected by the bill are directly regulated by local health departments acting at the Department's agents. Personnel in these programs would devote an unknown amount of time answering questions, educating business operators about how to request a variance, and informing the Department of violations (or prosecuting violations if it is deemed the agent programs have authority to do so).

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

The number of waiver requests and violations cannot be predicated at this time. It is likely that costs would decrease over time, as the bill's provisions become better known and business operators adapt alternative packaging materials.