

FISCAL ESTIMATE
DOA-2048 (R06/99)

ORIGINAL
 CORRECTED

UPDATED
 SUPPLEMENTAL

LRB or Bill No./Adm. Rule No.
Chapter Comm 5
Amendment No. if Applicable

Subject
Building Contractor Registration

Fiscal Effect

State: No State Fiscal Effect
Check columns below only if bill makes a direct appropriation

<input type="checkbox"/> Absorb or affects a sum sufficient appropriation <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriation		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - Maybe Possible to <input type="checkbox"/> Within Agency's Budget Yes No	
Local: <input type="checkbox"/> No local government costs 1. Increase Costs Units Affected: <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		3. Increase Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		5. Types of Local Governmental <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Villages <input type="checkbox"/> Cities	
2. Decrease Costs <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		4. Decrease Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations Counties Others	

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The rules require a registration credential for various building contractors who are involved in the construction or modification of public buildings and places of employment and one- and 2-family dwellings, unless the contractor already holds another type of contractor credential issued by the department. The type of contracting businesses required to be registered under the rules include commercial general construction, drywall, plastering, electrical wiring, finish carpentry, flooring, framing carpentry, glass and glazing, insulation, masonry and stone work, plumbing, concrete work, roofing, siding, building site preparation and/or stabilization, structural steel, tile and terrazzo, wall coverings, and other building or equipment specialties.

The department estimates that there would be 30,000 contracting businesses that would be required to obtain registrations. The department proposes to charge \$100 for a 4-year, building contractor registration. There is also a \$15 initial application fee that would be waived if the applicant applies and pays for the registration via the internet. The department estimates that it would realize approximately \$806,250 in revenue annually.

The department anticipates that the workload associated with this registration can be managed with information technology usage and within current staff levels associated with the administration of the commercial building code program and the one- and 2- family dwelling code program.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications
No long range fiscal implications are anticipated.

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