COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 4180S.01I Bill No.: SB 850

Subject: Consumer Protection; Merchandising Practices;

Type: Original

Date: January 22, 2024

Bill Summary: This proposal prohibits the sale or distribution of certain lighters.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027		
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on General					
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0		

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027		
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on Other State					
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0		

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS						
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027			
Total Estimated Net						
Effect on All Federal						
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0			

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027		
Total Estimated Net					
Effect on FTE	0	0	0		

☐ Estimate	ed Net Effect	(expenditures o	r reduced reven	ues) expected t	to exceed \$250,	000 in any
of the th	ree fiscal year	ars after implem	entation of the a	act or at full im	plementation of	f the act.

☐ Estimated Net I	Effect (savings	or increased	revenues)	expected to	exceed \$250	,000 in any of
the three fiscal	years after im	plementation	of the act o	r at full im	plementation	of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS						
FUND AFFECTED FY 2025 FY 2026 FY 2027						
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0			

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Public Safety – Fire Safety** assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their Agency.

Officials from the **Attorney General's Office (AGO)** did not respond to our request for fiscal impact. However, in response to a similar proposal from 2023 (SCS for SB 355), the AGO assumed no fiscal impact.

Oversight notes that the above mentioned agencies have stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their organization. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact on the fiscal note.

FISCAL IMPACT – State Government	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT – Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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