

JBC Staff Fiscal Analysis
House Appropriations Committee

Concerning limitations on liquor-licensed drugstore licenses.

Prime Sponsors:

Senators Amabile; Roberts
Representatives Ricks; Weinberg

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Fiscal Impacts

Appropriation Not Required, No Amendment in Packet

TABOR Impact

Fiscal Note Status

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 01/29/25.

No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill.

The reengrossed bill includes amendments adopted by the Senate on second reading (2/19/25), however, Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that the committee amendment does not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet

None.

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill neither requires nor contains an appropriation clause.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

None.

TABOR/ Excess State Revenues Impact

If the March 2025 revenue forecast adopted by the Joint Budget Committee (JBC) projects a TABOR surplus liability for FY 2025-26 or for FY 2026-27, these sums must be refunded to taxpayers out of the General Fund. Legislation that decreases non-exempt revenue (such as cash funds) to the State will decrease the TABOR refund made out of the General Fund. This will increase the amount of General Fund available for programs. The Joint Budget Committee (JBC) is developing a budget package for FY 2025-26. This bill is estimated to decrease cash fund revenues by \$5,480 in FY 2025-26 and by \$26,030 in FY 2026-27, which will increase the available General Fund in each fiscal year by an equal amount.