



Fiscal Note

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HB 25-1314: PEACE OFFICER STATUS FOR CERTAIN DOR EMPLOYEES

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Bill Outcome: Signed into Law

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Version: Final Fiscal Note

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Fiscal note status: The final fiscal note reflects the enacted bill.

Summary Information

Overview. The bill adds peace officer status for certain employees at the Department of Revenue.

Types of impacts. The bill is projected to affect the following areas on an ongoing basis:

- Minimal State Revenue
- Minimal State Workload

Appropriations. No appropriation is required.

Table 1
State Fiscal Impacts

| Type of Impact | Budget Year FY 2025-26 | Out Year FY 2026-27 |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| State Revenue | \$0 | \$0 |
| State Expenditures | \$0 | \$0 |
| Transferred Funds | \$0 | \$0 |
| Change in TABOR Refunds | \$0 | \$0 |
| Change in State FTE | 0.0 FTE | 0.0 FTE |

Summary of Legislation

The bill adds certain employees of the Auto Industry Division and Firearms Dealer Division in the Department of Revenue (DOR) to the list of peace officers that require certification by the Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) Board in order to perform criminal investigations.

State Revenue and Expenditures

The bill will minimally increase revenue and workload to POST Board in the Department of Law to certify additional DOR employees. The Department of Law charges certification testing fees, which are credited to the POST Board Cash Fund and subject to TABOR. Because the number of new certifications is expected to be small, these trainings can be accomplished within existing appropriations. Any expenditures in DOR for equipment and training is also expected to be accomplished within existing appropriations.

Effective Date

The bill was signed into law by the Governor and took effect on May 23, 2025.

State and Local Government Contacts

Law

Revenue

Public Safety

The revenue and expenditure impacts in this fiscal note represent changes from current law under the bill for each fiscal year. For additional information about fiscal notes, please visit the [General Assembly website](#).