



Fiscal Note
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SB 25-036: STATE PATROL BONDING EXCEPTION

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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 allows a member of the Colorado State Patrol to be self-insured.

No fiscal impact. The bill has no fiscal impact on state or local government.

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 makes an exception to the requirement that a member of the Colorado State Patrol (CSP) give a surety bond to the state if the CSP is self-insured through the Colorado State Office of Risk Management, as it is currently.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

The bill updates state law to allow CSP officers to be covered by the Office of Risk Management. As CSP is unable to acquire third-party surety bonds, this codifies current practice, and results in no change to state or local government revenue or expenditures. For this reason, the bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill was signed into law by the Governor on June 4, 2025, and takes effect on August 6, 2025, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

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