

**SB0264/683820/2**

BY: Delegate Krebs

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 264, AS AMENDED  
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1 of the bill, in line 11, before “and” insert “providing that a service fee charged to a nonmember by an employee organization may not exceed a certain amount; establishing certain conditions that must be met before a service fee may be charged to a nonmember; requiring the Secretary of Budget and Management to adopt certain regulations;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2 of the bill, in line 4, strike “**EXCEPT**” and substitute “**SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, AND EXCEPT**”; before line 32, insert:

**“(3) (I) A SERVICE FEE CHARGED TO A NONMEMBER BY AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION MAY NOT EXCEED AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE DIRECT COSTS INCURRED BY THE EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION IN CONNECTION WITH ITS COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ACTIVITIES ON BEHALF OF ALL EMPLOYEES IN THE BARGAINING UNIT DURING THE PERIOD COVERED BY THE SERVICE FEE, DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES IN THE BARGAINING UNIT DURING THAT PERIOD.**

**(II) AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION MAY NOT CHARGE A SERVICE FEE TO A NONMEMBER UNLESS:**

**1. THE EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION SUBMITS TO THE DEPARTMENT THE AMOUNT OF THE PROPOSED SERVICE FEE; AND**

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**2. THE DEPARTMENT APPROVES THE AMOUNT OF THE SERVICE FEE AS BEING IN COMPLIANCE WITH SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH.**

**(III) THE SECRETARY SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR THE SUBMISSION AND APPROVAL OF SERVICE FEES UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH.**”;

and in line 32, strike “**(3)**” and substitute “**(4)**”.

In the Appropriations Committee Amendments (SB0264/344565/1), in line 1 of Amendment No. 2, strike “**(3)**” and substitute “**(4)**”.