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House Bill 795
Economic Matters

(Washington County Delegation)
Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

Washington County - Board of License Commissioners - Expungement of
Violations

This bill requires the Washington County Board of License Commissioners to expunge a violation of alcoholic beverages laws and regulations from a licensee's record after five years from the date the violation occurred.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Washington County can implement the bill with existing resources. Revenues are not materially affected.

Small Business Effect: Minimal. To the extent that expungement allows for opportunities to enhance their operations, small businesses could be positively affected.

Analysis

Background: In fiscal 2014, there were 130 alcoholic beverages licenses in effect for locations in Washington County. In fiscal 2014, the board recorded 19 alcoholic beverages-related violations.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: SB 632 (Washington County Senators) - Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs.

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