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FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 254 (Senator Mooney)

Economic and Environmental Affairs

Economic Matters

Alcoholic Beverages - Family Beer and Wine Facility Permit - Fees

This bill reduces the issuance and renewal fee for a family beer and wine facility permit from \$400 to \$200.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: General fund revenues would decrease by \$200 in FY 2002 for each family beer and wine facility permit issued or renewed. No effect on expenditures.

Local Effect: None. The Office of the Comptroller issues family beer and wine facility permits.

Small Business Effect: Minimal.

Analysis

Current Law: The issuance and renewal fee for a family beer and wine facility permit is \$400.

Background: The Office of the Comptroller renewed one family beer and wine facility permit in fiscal 2000. The Office of the Comptroller advises that there have never been more than two family beer and wine facility permits issued or renewed in any year. A family beer and wine facility permit license allows individuals or families to produce beer and wine on the licensees' premises for the individuals' or families' own home consumption.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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