

FISCAL NOTE

November 9, 2021

Bill No:	HB 993	Printer's No:	1628	Sponsor:	Roae

COST / (SAVINGS)

Fund (s)	2020-21	2021-22
General Fund	See Fiscal Impact	See Fiscal Impact

SUMMARY: HB 993 amends the Administrative Code of 1929 to waive fees collected from school entities by the Department of Labor and Industry.

ANALYSIS: HB 993 waives fees collected from school entities by the Department of Labor and Industry (L&I) and allows school entities to apply for a refund for fees paid after June 30, 2020. L&I, upon approval by the governor, shall issue a refund. A refund shall not be paid from appropriations to L&I for general government operations or for occupational and industrial safety but shall be deemed a refund of a charge collected, but not legally due, and shall be paid otherwise from the General Fund.

No later than September 1, 2021 and September 1 of each year thereafter, L&I shall submit a report to the Appropriations and Labor and Industry committees of the House of Representatives and Senate on waiver and application data.

This act shall take effect immediately.

FISCAL IMPACT: HB 993 would lower fee revenue for L&I (school districts paid \$788,307.58 in fees to the Bureau of Occupational and Industrial Safety (BOIS) in Fiscal Year 2019-20) and possibly fee revenue deposited to the General Fund (as any fees that BOIS collects over \$10 million are transferred to the General Fund).