

FISCAL NOTE

January 6, 2020

Bill No:	SB 607	Printer's No:	1384	Sponsor:	Scavello (R)
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COST / (SAVINGS)

Fund (s)	2019-20	2020-21
General Fund	See "FISCAL IMPACT"	\$520,000
Motor License Fund	See "FISCAL IMPACT"	See "FISCAL IMPACT"

SUMMARY: SB 607 amends Title 75 to allow for the use of automated speed enforcement devices by state and local police officers in Pennsylvania.

ANALYSIS: SB 607 amends Title 75 to allow for the use of automated speed enforcement devices by state and local police officers in Pennsylvania. The bill stipulates that a vehicle's speed may be timed by a speed enforcement device, an automated speed enforcement system using an electronic ranging device, or any police officer using a speed timing device. Before utilizing electronic ranging devices, officers must complete a training approved by the Pennsylvania State Police and the Municipal Police Officer's Education and Training Commission.

SB 607 mandates that the municipal share of revenue generated from fines from automated speed enforcement may not exceed 10% of that municipalities annual budget. Any revenue beyond that amount will be remitted to the Department of Revenue and accrue to the Motor License Fund.

SB 607 takes effect 180 days after passage.

FISCAL IMPACT: For the Department of Revenue to reconcile municipal records and collect the appropriate amount of funds from local police departments, they will need five additional full-time employees. The cost of salary and benefits for these five additional personnel will be \$520,000 per year. Additionally, this bill will likely lead to increased revenue to the Motor License Fund.