



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 1049

PRINTERS NO. 1717

PRIME SPONSOR: Kasunic

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2011/12	FY 2012/13
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Fish Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY: Amends Title 30 (Fish and Boat Code) to provide for license and permit packaging and promotional options, and a penalty for violations.

ANALYSIS: SB 1049 creates a new Section (2717) titled "License and permit packaging options" under which the Commission may make available licenses and permits that cover multiple years; licenses and permits that cover a group of individuals who meet criteria established by the Commission; and license and permits at a promotional fee. All fees for multi-year or group licenses and permits under this section may not exceed the total fees for the applicable individual licenses or permits set forth in Section 2715 (relating to license, permit and issuing agent fees). The fee for promotional licenses and permits under Section 2717 must be less than the applicable fee set forth in Section 2715 for the specific license or permit being sold on promotion.

Section 2717 also allows the Commission to promulgate necessary regulations, and provides that a violation of the section is a summary offense of the third degree.

Effective date: 60 days.

FISCAL IMPACT: The Fish and Boat Commission does not expect a negative fiscal impact to result from the provisions in the bill. The enactment of this legislation is anticipated to have the positive effect of stabilizing the Commission's license sales and their ability to draw down Federal dollars.

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DATE: June 6, 2012

Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.