



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 914

PRINTERS NO. 2859

PRIME SPONSOR: Ross

COST / (SAVINGS)

| FUND | FY 2015/16 | FY 2016/17 |
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| General Fund | \$0 | \$0 |

SUMMARY: House Bill 914, Printer's Number 2859, amends the Sewage Facilities Act to increase the fee municipalities may charge for installing a permit-exempt septic system.

ANALYSIS: This bill amends the Sewage Facilities Act (Act 537 of 1966) to increase the fee a municipality may charge a person who seeks to install a permit-exempt septic system. The fee a local agency could charge would be increased from twenty-five dollars (\$25) to one hundred dollars (\$100). However, a person must notify the municipality they intend to install such a system to verify the system is located in accordance with the municipality's siting requirements according to the act.

This legislation would take effect in 60 days upon enactment.

FISCAL IMPACT: Enactment of this legislation will have no impact on Commonwealth funds. Any fees would be collected at the municipal level for any permit-exempt septic systems to cover related program costs.

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DATE: March 16, 2016

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