



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1795

PRINTER'S NO. 2211

PRIME SPONSOR: Gergely

COST / (SAVINGS)

| FUND | FY 2023/24 | FY 2024/25 |
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| General Fund | See Fiscal Impact | See Fiscal Impact |

SUMMARY:

Amends Act 389 of 1951, known as The Clinical Laboratory Act, by adding definitions related to plasma donation centers and exempting them from certain regulations.

ANALYSIS:

House Bill 1795, Printer's Number 2211, amends Act 389 of 1951, known as the Clinical Laboratory Act, to add a definition for source plasma donation center and related terms. It also exempts source plasma donation centers that perform hematocrit and total protein donor eligibility tests from the provisions of the Act.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The fiscal impact to the commonwealth as a result of this legislation would be de minimis. Exempting source plasma donation centers from the provisions of The Clinical Laboratory Act would include exempting them from the \$25 application fee for a license from the Department of Health. Given the low cost of the application fee and the fact that it merely covers application processing without generating excess revenue for the department, there should be no adverse fiscal impact to the department.

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House Appropriations Committee (D)

DATE: December 6, 2023

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