

SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE

BILL NO. Senate Bill 995

PRINTER'S NO. 1549

AMOUNT

No Fiscal Impact

FUND

General Fund

DATE INTRODUCED

June 5, 2013

PRIME SPONSOR

Senator Vogel

HISTORY OF BILL

Referred to AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, June 5, 2013

Reported as committed, June 11, 2013

First consideration, June 11, 2013

Re-referred to APPROPRIATIONS, June 20, 2013

Re-reported as amended, Nov. 12, 2013

DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE OF BILL

Senate Bill 995 establishes the Livery Providers Fair Lien Act to allow a boarding stable owner to place a lien upon a horse and detain it to secure payment for providing care.

The bill provides that a lien arising under this act shall constitute an agricultural lien subject to 13 PA.C.S (Commercial Code) Divisions 9 (Secured Transactions).

The legislation is scheduled to take effect in 60 days.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Senate Bill 995 addresses a contractual agreement between horse owner and stable owner and should have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth Funds.