

SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE

BILL NO. Senate Bill 559

PRINTER NO. 1292

AMOUNT

No Fiscal Impact

FUND

General Fund

DATE INTRODUCED

March 28, 2023

PRIME SPONSOR

Senator Baker

DESCRIPTION

Senate Bill 559 amends the Medical Practice Act of 1985, further providing for definitions and the abrogation of regulations.

This legislation clarifies the definition of “athletic training services” to allow for the practice of certain invasive procedures with the direction of a licensed physician.

The bill also amends the definition of a “physically active person” to include anyone that participates in an individual or team sport, an athletic competition, a performing art, a recreational activity or a military exercise.

This act shall take effect immediately.

FISCAL IMPACT:

According to information provided by the Department of State, this legislation will have no fiscal impact. Any costs related to updating regulations can be accommodated with existing resources.