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**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **SB 262** SLS 12RS 417

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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<b>Dept./Agy.:</b> Revenue/Alcohol and Tobacco Control	<b>Analyst:</b> Deborah Vivien
<b>Subject:</b> Allows criminal activity to disqualify permittees and licensees	

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Provides relative to qualifications of applicants for alcoholic beverage permits. (8/1/12)

Current law stipulates the qualifications for applicants for state and local alcoholic beverage permits issued by the LA Alcohol and Tobacco Control or a local entity, including a list of convictions, either state or federal, that would be disqualifiers. Current law also states that the licensee should be of good character.

Proposed law retains current law and states that the successful applicant for an alcoholic beverage permit will be a person who poses no threat to the public interest of the state whether by prior activities, criminal record, reputation, habits or associations. The successful applicant could also pose no threat through unsuitable, unfair or illegal practices, methods or operations in the state. Proposed law also adds to the list of state or federal criminal convictions theft, giving false statements or declarations, gambling (as defined by local, state or federal statute). The bill allows the commissioner to consider alleged illegal activities without convictions in awarding permits. Licensees have a duty to report violations, perceived or real. Once the permit is awarded, it remains in effect for the term, regardless of interim activity.

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>	<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>5 -YEAR TOTAL</b>
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
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Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<b>\$0</b>
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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. There will be no additional administrative costs to the department to include this background information in the application process. It is already considered in current practice when determining the character of the applicant.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate

Dual Referral Rules

House

13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}

6.8(F)1 >= \$500,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S}

13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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