

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 226** HLS 18RS 312

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Feral Swine Transportation	

ANIMALS EG SEE FISC NOTE LF RV See Note
Prohibits the transportation of live feral swine

Proposed law prohibits transporting live feral swine by any person not in possession of proof or registration as a feral swine authorized transporter with the Louisiana Board of Animal Health within the Department of Agriculture and Forestry. Proposed law provides for penalties of a fine not more than \$900, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both.

EXPENDITURES	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	SEE BELOW					
Annual Total						

REVENUES	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

A material impact on expenditures is not anticipated as a result of the proposed legislation. Local jail facilities may be impacted to the extent someone is found in violation and imprisoned. Currently, the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries are exercising this practice through the Louisiana Administrative Code, however they have yet to find someone in violation, so the potential of people that will be imprisoned is indeterminable.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There may be an increase in revenues to local governmental entities to the extent individuals are found in violation and fined. To the extent someone is found in violation, they will be tried in parish courts and the fines generated will go to the parish. Currently, the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries are exercising this practice through the Louisiana Administrative Code, however they have yet to find someone in violation, so potential revenue is indeterminable.

Senate Dual Referral Rules
 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}
 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

House
 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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