



FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 316

Committee: Economic Development and
Tourism

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Senate Bill 316 as passed the Senate could increase receipts to the State General Fund by: (1) an undetermined amount dependent upon the number of new educational tourism distillery licenses that could be issued by the Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Board pursuant to this bill, at \$1,000 per licensee; (2) an estimated \$11,500 if all current beer and wine license holders purchase both a beer wholesaler license and a wine wholesaler license at an additional \$350 per license pursuant to the provisions of this bill; and (3) an undetermined amount from any penalties and late fees imposed on certain licensees pursuant to the provisions of this bill.

This bill could also increase receipts to the Public Welfare Trust Fund, the Alabama Special Mental Health Fund, the State General Fund and to counties and municipalities by an undetermined amount dependent upon the markup and tax imposed upon all liquor manufactured on the premises of an educational tourism distillery licensee that is dispensed or sold at retail for on-premises or off-premises consumption pursuant to the provisions of this bill.

This bill would also increase the obligations of the ABC Board by an undetermined amount to inspect new licensees, establish forms, and adopt rules to enforce the provisions of this bill.