



FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 299

Committee: Health

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House Bill 299 as introduced would increase the obligations of the Alabama State Board of Respiratory Therapy by an estimated \$1,080 annually for per diem and travel expenses of the one additional member added to the board by this bill.

This bill could also decrease receipts of the board by a board-estimated maximum of \$500 annually by no longer allowing a temporary respiratory therapist license to be renewed.

Finally, this bill could also increase the administrative obligations of the board for any criminal history background checks requested by the board for license applicants, the cost of which would be borne by the applicant, per the provisions of this bill, through either a separate fee to the applicant or incorporating the cost into the license cost.