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TO: Senator John Kissel
Representative Lucy Dathan
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FROM: Neil Ayers, Director *NA*

SUBJECT: Review of Agenda **Item 2023-024**

OFA has reviewed the state and municipal fiscal impact of item 2023-024 for the Department of Consumer Protection for this month's meeting.¹ The following table summarizes our review.

Reg. #	Agency	Is Agency Estimate of State Impact Reasonable?	Is Agency Estimate of Municipal Impact Reasonable?	Did Agency Submit a Small Business Impact Statement or Regulatory Flexibility Analysis? ²
2023-024	DCP	Yes	Yes	Yes

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SUBJECT: Review of Agenda Item 2023-025

OFA has reviewed the state and municipal fiscal impact of item 2023-025 for the Department of Insurance for this month's meeting.¹ The following table summarizes our review.

Reg. #	Agency	Is Agency Estimate of State Impact Reasonable?	Is Agency Estimate of Municipal Impact Reasonable?	Did Agency Submit a Small Business Impact Statement or Regulatory Flexibility Analysis? ²
2023-025	DOI	Yes	Yes	Yes

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SUBJECT: Review of Agenda Item 2023-026

OFA has reviewed the state and municipal fiscal impact of item 2023-026 for the Office of Early Childhood for this month's meeting.¹ The following table summarizes our review.

Reg. #	Agency	Is Agency Estimate of State Impact Reasonable?	Is Agency Estimate of Municipal Impact Reasonable?	Did Agency Submit a Small Business Impact Statement or Regulatory Flexibility Analysis? ²
2023-026	OEC	Yes	Yes	Yes

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SUBJECT: Review of Agenda **Item 2023-027**

OFA has reviewed the state and municipal fiscal impact of item 2023-027 for the Department of Consumer Protection for this month's meeting.¹ The following table summarizes our review.

Reg. #	Agency	Is Agency Estimate of State Impact Reasonable?	Is Agency Estimate of Municipal Impact Reasonable?	Did Agency Submit a Small Business Impact Statement or Regulatory Flexibility Analysis? ²
2023-027	DCP	Yes	Yes	Yes

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SUBJECT: Review of Agenda Item 2023-028

OFA has reviewed the state and municipal fiscal impact of item 2023-028 for the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection for this month's meeting.¹ The following table summarizes our review.

Reg. #	Agency	Is Agency Estimate of State Impact Reasonable?	Is Agency Estimate of Municipal Impact Reasonable?	Did Agency Submit a Small Business Impact Statement or Regulatory Flexibility Analysis? ²
2023-028	DEEP	See Comments	Yes (N/A)	Yes

The chart indicates a \$200 annual revenue gain. Instead, there would be an annual revenue loss of \$200 (as indicated in the narrative), since one applicant, on average yearly, would have to remit a fee of \$100 to renew a lapsed forest practitioner license instead of payment the \$300 fee to reapply and retake the examination as is currently required. This revenue loss may be partially or wholly offset by a minimal Personal

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Services savings, to the extent that overtime is currently being paid to administer an exam to a person whose licensure had lapsed.

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