

Department of Planning and Budget 2008 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1492

House of Origin X Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Nutter

3. Committee: General Laws

4. Title: **License for land surveying; state and local government employees**

5. Summary: This bill provides that any person engaged in the practice of land surveying as an employee of the Commonwealth or any political subdivision shall be allowed to use such experience toward the requirements for a licensed land surveyor. The bill provides that in order to sit for the licensing examination, such applicant shall (i) have a surveyor-in-training designation by the Board; (ii) have a minimum of four years of approved surveying experience, which may be gained prior to the surveyor-in-training designation; and (iii) provide written references from three land surveyors licensed in a state, territory, or possession of the United States, or the District of Columbia, each having personal knowledge of the applicant's surveying experience. The bill defines approved surveying experience.

6. No Fiscal Impact

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill addresses the requirements for license for land surveying for state and local government employees. The Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation anticipates that this bill will not have a significant fiscal impact on their agency. Any fiscal impact of this bill can be absorbed with existing resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

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cc: Secretary of Commerce and Trade
Secretary of Finance