

REVENUE IMPACT STATEMENT 2025 REGULAR SESSION 60TH LEGISLATURE, 1ST SESSION

BILL/VERSION: HB 1854/INTRODUCED ANALYST: BS

AUTHORS: Rep. Schreiber DATE: 1/14/2025

TAX(ES): Sales Tax

SUBJECT(S): Exemption

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2025 **Emergency** ⊠

ESTIMATED REVENUE IMPACT:

FY26: Unknown decrease in state sales tax collections. **FY27:** Unknown decrease in state sales tax collections.

ANALYSIS: HB 1854 proposes amendments to Section 1356 of Title 68 by exempting certain sales of tangible personal property or services to eligible nonprofit organizations.

Presently, one organization has been identified which could qualify for the proposed sales tax exemption whose principal purpose is to provide school supplies or articles of clothing for underserved students attending at public schools in this state. The proposed exemption includes certain construction costs. In FY24, it paid an estimated \$3,000 in state sales tax. Assuming similar taxable expenditures for FY26 and FY27, results in a **minimal decrease** in state sales tax collections. Should other qualifying entities be identified, the impact could increase.

HB 1854 also provides an exemption for organizations supporting municipal law enforcement officers. The potential decrease in sales tax collections from these organizations is currently **unknown**, as no data are available on the number of entities that would qualify for the related sales tax expenditures.

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The revenue impact provided herein is an estimate of the potential impact on the collection or apportionment of tax revenues affected by the proposed legislation. It is not intended to be an estimate of the overall fiscal impact on the state budget if the proposed legislation is enacted.

