

**Local Government Mandate Statement
Kentucky Legislative Research Commission
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Part I: Measure Information

Bill Request #: 850

Bill #: SB 153 HCS

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Bill Subject/Title: AN ACT relating to grain.

Sponsor: Senator Paul Hornback

Unit of Government: City County Urban-County
Unified Local
 Charter County Consolidated Local Government

Office(s) Impacted: county clerks

Requirement: Mandatory Optional

Effect on
Powers & Duties: Modifies Existing Adds New Eliminates Existing

Part II: Bill Provisions and the Estimated Fiscal Impact Relating to Local Government

SB 153 HCS is an omnibus legislation that repeals and replaces KRS Chapter 251 (Grain Warehouses) with new sections that establish the purpose of the provisions of the chapter relating to grain, grain dealing, and warehousing. **The provision that affects local government is found in Section 26 that amends KRS 64.012 to delete the \$10 filing fee for a grain warehouseman’s license.**

The fiscal impact of SB 153 HCS is minimal. County clerks will no longer collect a license fee for warehouseman licenses.

Part III: Differences to Local Government Mandate Statement from Prior Versions

SB 153 HCS retains the original provisions of SB 153 GA and clarifies license requirements for grain dealers and clarifies eligibility for coverage by the fund. **SB 153 HCS removes the felony and misdemeanor penalties provided for in Section 24 of SB 153 GA. Thus, SB 153 HCS significantly reduces the fiscal impact on local law**

enforcement and jails by deleting the (new) felony and misdemeanor penalties provided for in SB 153 GA.

SB 153 GA with Senate Floor amendment 1 retained the original provisions of SB 153 to clarify claim values and amends KRS 251.640 to clarify terms in which the board shall reinstate the assessment. It amended KRS 251.650 to establish reporting requirements of the board. SB 153 GA made no changes to the penalties provided for in SB 153, or the deletion of the \$10 clerk filing fee. **The fiscal impact remained the same as for SB 153.**

Data Source(s): _____

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