

Department of Planning and Budget 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB864

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron: Lopez

3. Committee: General Laws

4. Title: Professions and occupations; proof of identity.

5. Summary: Replaces the requirement for proof of citizenship to obtain a license, certificate, registration, or other authorization issued by the Commonwealth to engage in a business, trade, profession, or occupation with a requirement to provide proof of identity. The bill contains technical amendments.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

8. Fiscal Implications: The Department of Motor Vehicles does not anticipate a fiscal impact from this bill.

The Department of Social Services anticipates an indeterminate impact to the collection of child support. Under current law, business, trade, professional, or occupational licenses can be suspended if the holder is delinquent in the payment of child support. DSS relies on the use of social security numbers for this method of enforcement. The agency is unable to track and quantify how much child support is received from this process or calculate any potential loss if the social security field is removed.

Impact estimates from the Department of Labor and Industry are not yet available.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Labor and Industry, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Social Services

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None