

Legislative Analysis



EXTEND TEMPORARY LICENSE AUTHORIZATION

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House Bill 6088 as introduced
Sponsor: Rep. Gregory Markkanen
Committee: Workforce, Trades, and Talent
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SUMMARY:

House Bill 6088 would amend the Public Health Code to extend the time a temporary license for a medical first responder, emergency medical technician, emergency medical technician specialist, or paramedic is valid.

Under current law, a temporary license, valid for 120 days from the date of an accepted application, is available to an individual who has applied for full licensure in one of these occupations and submitted the applicable fee, but not completed the appropriate examination.

The bill would lengthen the time the temporary license is valid to one year.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 6088 may have fiscal implications for the Department of Health and Human Services for the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) licensing and enforcement program. The bill provides for extension of a temporary license with no change in fee, which may result in reduced overall revenue to the licensing program.

Licensing fees are used only to support the cost of the EMS licensing and examination program. Current year funding supporting EMS licensing programs is about \$2.3 million Gross, including \$1.5 million GF/GP and \$805,000 from licensing fees.

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