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ADMINISTRATIVE RULES - FISCAL ESTIMATE

1. Fiscal Estimate Version					
☑ Original □ Up	☑ Original ☐ Updated ☐ Corrected				
2. Administrative Rule Chapter Title and Number					
DHS 137 Wisconsin Donor Registry					
3. Subject					
Under the authority of s. 157.06(20) Stats, these rules are created to establish and govern the Wisconsin Donor					
Registry as a means for individuals to make anatomical gifts as provided under s. 157.06(5)(a) 5.					
4. State Fiscal Effect:					
☐ No Fiscal Effect	☐ Increase Existing Revenues	Increase Costs			
☐ Indeterminate	☐ Decrease Existing Revenues				
		☐ Decrease Costs			
5. Fund Sources Affected: ☐ GPR ☐ FED ☐ PRO ☐ PRS ☐ SEG ☐ SEG-S		6. Affected Ch. 20, Stats. Appropriations:			
7. Local Government Fiscal Effect:					
☑ No Fiscal Effect	☐ Increase Revenues	☐ Increase Costs			
☐ Indeterminate	☐ Decrease Revenues	☐ Decrease Costs			
8. Local Government Units Affected:					
☐ Towns ☐ Villages ☐ Cities ☐ Counties ☐ School Districts ☐ WTCS Districts ☐ Others:					
9. Private Sector Fiscal Effect (small businesses only):					
No Fiscal Effect ■ No Fiscal Effect No Fiscal Effect ■ No Fiscal Effect No Fiscal	☐ Increase Revenues	☐ Increase Costs			
☐ Indeterminate	☐ Decrease Revenues ☐ Yes ☐ No May have significant economic impact on a substantial number of small businesses	☐ Yes ☐ No May have significant economic impact on a substantial number of small businesses ☐ Decrease Costs			
10.Types of Small Businesses Affected:					
11. Fiscal Analysis Summary					

Section 157.06 (20), Stats., authorizes the Department of Health Services (DHS) to establish a donor registry and requires DHS to promulgate rules to govern any registry established. The Department of Transportation (DOT) is required to cooperate with DHS on establishing the registry.

A donor registry allows people to make a record of anatomical gift of their organ, tissues and eyes by completing a form on a secure website. The website will transmit this record to the DOT to be included in the individual's driver's record. A donation decision made through the new website or through the DOT division of motor vehicles will be made accessible to authorized personnel of organ and tissue recovery organizations to identify a person as a donor at or near the time of his or her death. If the individual is over age 18, this decision may not be overturned by the family or anyone else.

The rules in this order prescribe:

- The conditions under which individuals may have a record of gift or record of intent to make an anatomical gift included in the Donor Registry.
- The conditions under which an individual can amend or revoke his or her record of gift recorded in the Donor Registry.
- The conditions under which procurement organizations and their employees can receive department authorization to access the Donor Registry.
- The conditions of use of Donor Registry information.

DHS will absorb the costs of maintaining and updating registry functions in the organ donor program budget and will provide grant funding to pay for six months .50 FTE LTE in the Department of Transportation to update driver's records. After that time the work is expected to be no more than 2 hours per week and will be absorbed by existing personnel.

The proposed rule would not affect the revenues or costs of local governments.

The proposed rule would not have a fiscal impact on small businesses over and above the costs imposed for the recovery organizations to conduct criminal background checks on employees who access the registry data. Most of these agencies already do so.

12. Long-Range Fiscal Implications				
None known.				
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