Department of Planning and Budget 2025 General Assembly Session State Fiscal Impact Statement

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Bill Number: HB2573 Patron: Leftwich

Bill Title: Boxing and wrestling events; license requirements for examining physicians.

Bill Summary: Provides that a physician examining a boxer, martial artist, or professional wrestler prior to such athlete entering the ring must have been licensed to practice medicine in the Commonwealth or in another jurisdiction of the United States for at least three years. Current law requires such physician to have been licensed in the Commonwealth for at least five years. The bill also requires a promoter to furnish to the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation, within two weeks following the completion of an event, a report showing (i) the number of tickets sold, unsold, and given away; (ii) the amount of gross proceeds; and (iii) the total gross receipts received from distribution rights of such event. Current law requires such report to be furnished to the Department within 24 hours of the completion of an event.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No. Items Impacted: N/A

Explanation: This bill involves the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation(DPOR);

however, information is not available at this time.

Fiscal Summary: It is anticipated that DPOR can absorb any impact that may result from this bill; however, impact estimates are not available from the agency.

Fiscal Analysis: This impact statement is preliminary. Information from DPOR regarding any fiscal impact is not available at this time.

Other: None.