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

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Bill Number: HB1940 ER Patron: Willett

Bill Title: Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; international licensure and

certification; regulations.

**Bill Summary:** Directs the regulatory boards within the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation to promulgate regulations allowing the issuance of a license or certification to certain applicants who hold a comparable international license or certification issued by another country.

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

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

however, no budget action is needed at this time.

Fiscal Summary: It is anticipated that DPOR can absorb any impact that may result from this bill.

**Fiscal Analysis:** The bill directs DPOR's Boards to allow for individuals with foreign credentials or training to receive full or partial credit towards equivalent credentials issued by the Boards. DPOR anticipates that any additional workload can be absorbed within existing resources.

Other: This bill is the companion to SB 1188.