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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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SHORT TITLE Barber and Cosmetologist Intern Licensing SB SM26

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### REVENUE

Estimated Revenue		Subsequent Years Impact	Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY05	FY06			
	NFI	Minimal	Non-recurring	Barbers and Cosmetologists Fund

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Revenue Decreases)

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

#### Responses Received From

Regulations and Licensing Department (RLD)

Workforce Development (WD)

### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

Senate Memorial 26 proposes that the Senate be resolved that the Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists consider the efficacy of developing apprenticeships and internships for people with an interest in “beauty culture,” and that the Board report on the matter to the second session of the forty seventh legislature.

#### Significant Issues

The bill does not propose to whom the Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists should report.

The memorial does not specifically request the board to determine the efficacy of developing apprenticeship and intern licensures; whereas the title of the bill refers to this request.

There are no provisions for apprenticeships in the Barbers and Cosmetologists Act.

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RLD reports that the New Mexico Barbers and Cosmetologists Board (NMBCB) is in the process of processing over 4,300 establishment renewals in conjunction with professional licensing renewals. The Department asserts that the renewal process requires that all staff concentrate efforts to ensure that renewals are processed in a 15-day period.

The Department asserts that because the NMBCB does not meet again until May 9, 2005, the Board does not have the time to adequately study and provide an appropriate and accurate and report on the matter in the time period requested.

### **ALTERNATIVES**

RLD proposes that the NMBBC place this issue on an upcoming meeting agenda to be discussed in detail and that at that time could request creating a committee to produce a report that may be submitted to the sponsor for future action.

### **OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES**

According to RLD, there is a potential public health and safety threat by allowing an untrained person to perform services on the public.

RLD reports there are programs offered in high schools in the State Of New Mexico that offer courses in beauty culture that are not under the authority of the Board. The Department further reports that schools that are licensed by the board offer "career days" at high schools and career fairs, as well as field trips to their schools.

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