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FINAL FISCAL NOTE

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Prime Sponsors:	Rep. Lontine Sen. Fields; Priola	Bill Status:	Postponed Indefinitely
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Bill Topic: DISTRIBUTE PLASTIC STRAWS ONLY UPON REQUEST

Summary of Fiscal Impact: **No fiscal impact.** This bill prohibits a retail food establishment from providing a single-use plastic beverage straw to a customer unless requested by the customer with certain exceptions. It is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Appropriation Summary: No appropriation is required.

Fiscal Note Status: The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. This bill was not enacted into law; therefore, the impacts identified in this analysis do not take effect.

Summary of Legislation

Beginning January 1, 2020, this bill prohibits a retail food establishment from providing a single-use plastic beverage straw to a customer unless requested by the customer. Take out orders and prepackaged meals are excluded from the bill as is the use of a self-serve straw dispenser. The bill also prohibits a local government from regulating the use of single-use plastic beverage straws.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

The bill affects private business and has no enforcement mechanism. It will not impact the revenue or expenditures of any state or local government and is therefore assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill was postponed indefinitely by the House Energy and Environment Committee on February 25, 2019.

State and Local Government Contacts

Counties	Information Technology	Municipalities
Public Health and Environment	Special Districts	

The revenue and expenditure impacts in this fiscal note represent changes from current law under the bill for each fiscal year. For additional information about fiscal notes, please visit: leg.colorado.gov/fiscalnotes.