



Fiscal Note

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SB 26-171: DISPOSAL OF PREPRODUCTION PLASTIC MATERIALS

Prime Sponsors:

Sen. Cutter; Wallace
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Bill Outcome: Signed into Law
Drafting number: LLS 26-0987

Version: Final Fiscal Note
Date: June 4, 2026

Fiscal note status: The fiscal note reflects the enacted bill.

Summary Information

Overview. The bill makes a technical change to Senate Bill 26-016.

Types of impacts. The bill has no fiscal impact on state or local government.

Appropriations. No appropriation required.

Table 1
State Fiscal Impacts

Type of Impact	Budget Year FY 2026-27	Out Year FY 2027-28
State Revenue	\$0	\$0
State Expenditures	\$0	\$0
Transferred Funds	\$0	\$0
Change in TABOR Refunds	\$0	\$0
Change in State FTE	0.0 FTE	0.0 FTE

Summary of Legislation

Senate Bill 26-016, which was signed by the Governor on March 30, 2026, and takes effect on August 12, 2027, assuming no referendum petition is filed, prohibits a person from discharging preproduction plastic materials through land application at a location that does not meet specific requirements. This bill repeals the prohibition and instead restricts a person from disposing preproduction plastic at a location that has not been issued a certificate of designation as a solid wastes disposal site.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

The bill makes technical changes to legislation that was enacted this session. Therefore, there is no change to state or local government revenue or expenditures and the bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill was signed by the Governor on May 29, 2026, and takes August 12, 2027, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

Public Health and Environment