



**150th GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FEE IMPACT**

BILL:	HOUSE BILL NO. 203
SPONSOR:	Representative K. Williams
DESCRIPTION:	AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 16 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO DONATION BINS.

In accordance with 29 Del. C. §913, the following information is provided relating to licenses and fees.

Description of the Legislation:

This Act defines donation bins as an enclosed receptacle or container held out to the public as a place to drop off clothes or other similar materials. This Act states that no person, individual, business, non-profit, or other organization shall place a donation bin in a public place prior to obtaining a permit from the Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS). The Act would also require maintenance and oversight of the donation bins punishable by civil penalties for noncompliance.

Affected Entities:

This Act would affect all entities engaging in the placement of donations bins as defined by this Act as well as DHSS.

Fiscal Impact:

This Act would require an annual application fee of \$100 per donation bin. Donation bins in place at the time of the enactment of this Act are not exempt from the fee and must apply for licensing within one year of the effective date. DHSS is unable to determine the number of anticipated requests for donation bin permits. Total revenue from these permits is indeterminable at this time.

Intended Use of Revenue:

The revenue generated from permitting fees would be deposited into DHSS' Appropriated Special Fund to defray the costs of operation and administration of the program.

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