

ECONOMIC AND FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**(REGULATIONS AND ORDERS)**

STO. 399 (Rev. 10/2019)

ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

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DESCRIPTIVE TITLE FROM NOTICE REGISTER OR FORM 400 Dealer Registration and Dealer Cooperatives Permanent Regulations			NOTICE FILE NUMBER Z

A. ESTIMATED PRIVATE SECTOR COST IMPACTS *Include calculations and assumptions in the rulemaking record.*

1. Check the appropriate box(es) below to indicate whether this regulation:

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| ☒ a. Impacts business and/or employees | ☒ e. Imposes reporting requirements |
| ☒ b. Impacts small businesses | ☐ f. Imposes prescriptive instead of performance |
| ☐ c. Impacts jobs or occupations | ☐ g. Impacts individuals |
| ☐ d. Impacts California competitiveness | ☐ h. None of the above (Explain below): |

*If any box in Items 1 a through g is checked, complete this Economic Impact Statement.**If box in Item 1.h. is checked, complete the Fiscal Impact Statement as appropriate.***CalRecycle**2. The _____ estimates that the economic impact of this regulation (which includes the fiscal impact) is:
(Agency/Department)

- ☐ Below \$10 million
- ☐ Between \$10 and \$25 million
- ☒ Between \$25 and \$50 million
- ☐ Over \$50 million *(If the economic impact is over \$50 million, agencies are required to submit a [Standardized Regulatory Impact Assessment](#) as specified in Government Code Section 11346.3(c))*

3. Enter the total number of businesses impacted: 30,000Describe the types of businesses (Include nonprofits): Stores selling CRV beveragesEnter the number or percentage of total businesses impacted that are small businesses: 73%4. Enter the number of businesses that will be created: 20 eliminated: 0Explain: Allows the formation of new 501(c)(3) organizations, Dealer Cooperatives, to manage redemption obligations5. Indicate the geographic extent of impacts: ☒ Statewide
☐ Local or regional (List areas): _____6. Enter the number of jobs created: 211 and eliminated: 0Describe the types of jobs or occupations impacted: Nonprofit business administration, information technology, accounting, logistics, waste management, maintenance7. Will the regulation affect the ability of California businesses to compete with other states by making it more costly to produce goods or services here? ☐ YES ☒ NOIf YES, explain briefly: _____

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ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT (CONTINUED)**B. ESTIMATED COSTS** *Include calculations and assumptions in the rulemaking record.*1. What are the total statewide dollar costs that businesses and individuals may incur to comply with this regulation over its lifetime? \$ 118 milliona. Initial costs for a small business: \$ 19.08 Annual ongoing costs: \$ 4.77 Years: 10b. Initial costs for a typical business: \$ 19.08 / DC:\$84,041 Annual ongoing costs: \$ 4.77 / DC:\$26,527 Years: 10c. Initial costs for an individual: \$ N/A Annual ongoing costs: \$ N/A Years: N/Ad. Describe other economic costs that may occur: There are no other economic costs that may occur.2. If multiple industries are impacted, enter the share of total costs for each industry: N/A3. If the regulation imposes reporting requirements, enter the annual costs a typical business may incur to comply with these requirements.
Include the dollar costs to do programming, record keeping, reporting, and other paperwork, whether or not the paperwork must be submitted. \$ 4,6944. Will this regulation directly impact housing costs? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If YES, enter the annual dollar cost per housing unit: \$ _____

Number of units: _____

5. Are there comparable Federal regulations? ☐ YES ☒ NOExplain the need for State regulation given the existence or absence of Federal regulations: Regulations clarify framework for Pub. Res. Code section 14510.2, 14578 and 14578.5. There is no similar Federal regulations.Enter any additional costs to businesses and/or individuals that may be due to State - Federal differences: \$ N/A**C. ESTIMATED BENEFITS** *Estimation of the dollar value of benefits is not specifically required by rulemaking law, but encouraged.*1. Briefly summarize the benefits of the regulation, which may include among others, the health and welfare of California residents, worker safety and the State's environment: Increase consumer convenience for redemption of CRV beverage containers, increase recycling rates of CRV beverage containers2. Are the benefits the result of: ☒ specific statutory requirements, or ☐ goals developed by the agency based on broad statutory authority?Explain: PRC 14578.5(d)(1) makes dealer cooperatives eligible to receive CRV reimbursements and program payments3. What are the total statewide benefits from this regulation over its lifetime? \$ 9.1 million annually4. Briefly describe any expansion of businesses currently doing business within the State of California that would result from this regulation:
Expansion of recycling-related businesses, such as recycling centers, processors, and transporters.**D. ALTERNATIVES TO THE REGULATION** *Include calculations and assumptions in the rulemaking record. Estimation of the dollar value of benefits is not specifically required by rulemaking law, but encouraged.*1. List alternatives considered and describe them below. If no alternatives were considered, explain why not: Alternative 1: Remove staffed redemption location requirement and instead require an innovative method of redemption per convenience zone;
Alternative 2: Remove education and outreach and internet posting requirements

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2. Summarize the total statewide costs and benefits from this regulation and each alternative considered:

Regulation: Benefit: \$ 9.1 million Cost: \$ 30.8 million

Alternative 1: Benefit: \$ 9.1 million Cost: \$ 26.7 million

Alternative 2: Benefit: \$ 6.8 million Cost: \$ 30.4 million

3. Briefly discuss any quantification issues that are relevant to a comparison of estimated costs and benefits for this regulation or alternatives:
- Benefits calculated as the handling fees, administrative fees, and processing payments remitted to businesses. Not calculated are the intangible benefits to society of increased recycling rates.

4. Rulemaking law requires agencies to consider performance standards as an alternative, if a regulation mandates the use of specific technologies or equipment, or prescribes specific actions or procedures. Were performance standards considered to lower compliance costs?
- ☒
- YES
- ☐
- NO

Explain: CalRecycle considered simply imposing the performance standard of redeeming 80% of containers sold by a dealer cooperative. However, this did not lower compliance costs and would likely fail to achieve the goals of the Act.

E. MAJOR REGULATIONS *Include calculations and assumptions in the rulemaking record.*

California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) boards, offices and departments are required to submit the following (per Health and Safety Code section 57005). Otherwise, skip to E4.

1. Will the estimated costs of this regulation to California business enterprises exceed \$10 million?
- ☒
- YES
- ☐
- NO

If YES, complete E2. and E3

If NO, skip to E4

2. Briefly describe each alternative, or combination of alternatives, for which a cost-effectiveness analysis was performed:

Alternative 1: Remove staffed redemption location requirement and instead require an innovative method of redemption

Alternative 2: Remove education and outreach and internet posting requirements

(Attach additional pages for other alternatives)

3. For the regulation, and each alternative just described, enter the estimated total cost and overall cost-effectiveness ratio:

Regulation: Total Cost \$ 118 million Cost-effectiveness ratio: \$ 0.068/container

Alternative 1: Total Cost \$ 101 million Cost-effectiveness ratio: \$ 0.058/container

Alternative 2: Total Cost \$ 114 million Cost-effectiveness ratio: \$ 0.088/container

4. Will the regulation subject to OAL review have an estimated economic impact to business enterprises and individuals located in or doing business in California exceeding \$50 million in any 12-month period between the date the major regulation is estimated to be filed with the Secretary of State through 12 months after the major regulation is estimated to be fully implemented?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If YES, agencies are required to submit a Standardized Regulatory Impact Assessment (SRIA) as specified in Government Code Section 11346.3(c) and to include the SRIA in the Initial Statement of Reasons.

5. Briefly describe the following:

The increase or decrease of investment in the State: N/A

The incentive for innovation in products, materials or processes: N/A

The benefits of the regulations, including, but not limited to, benefits to the health, safety, and welfare of California residents, worker safety, and the state's environment and quality of life, among any other benefits identified by the agency: See Appendix, Section C.1.

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**A. FISCAL EFFECT ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT** *Indicate appropriate boxes 1 through 6 and attach calculations and assumptions of fiscal impact for the current year and two subsequent Fiscal Years.*

- ☐ 1. Additional expenditures in the current State Fiscal Year which are reimbursable by the State. (Approximate)
(Pursuant to Section 6 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution and Sections 17500 et seq. of the Government Code).

\$ _____

- ☐ a. Funding provided in _____
Budget Act of _____ or Chapter _____, Statutes of _____

- ☐ b. Funding will be requested in the Governor's Budget Act of _____
Fiscal Year: _____

- ☐ 2. Additional expenditures in the current State Fiscal Year which are NOT reimbursable by the State. (Approximate)
(Pursuant to Section 6 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution and Sections 17500 et seq. of the Government Code).

\$ _____

Check reason(s) this regulation is not reimbursable and provide the appropriate information:

- ☐ a. Implements the Federal mandate contained in _____
- ☐ b. Implements the court mandate set forth by the _____ Court,

Case of: _____ vs. _____

- ☐ c. Implements a mandate of the people of this State expressed in their approval of Proposition No. _____

Date of Election: _____

- ☐ d. Issued only in response to a specific request from affected local entity(s).

Local entity(s) affected: _____

- ☐ e. Will be fully financed from the fees, revenue, etc. from: _____

Authorized by Section: _____ of the _____ Code;

- ☐ f. Provides for savings to each affected unit of local government which will, at a minimum, offset any additional costs to each;

- ☐ g. Creates, eliminates, or changes the penalty for a new crime or infraction contained in _____

- ☐ 3. Annual Savings. (approximate)

\$ _____

- ☐ 4. No additional costs or savings. This regulation makes only technical, non-substantive or clarifying changes to current law regulations.

- ☒ 5. No fiscal impact exists. This regulation does not affect any local entity or program.

- ☐ 6. Other. Explain _____

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B. FISCAL EFFECT ON STATE GOVERNMENT *Indicate appropriate boxes 1 through 4 and attach calculations and assumptions of fiscal impact for the current year and two subsequent Fiscal Years.*

- ☒ 1. Additional expenditures in the current State Fiscal Year. (Approximate)
- \$ 716,042
- It is anticipated that State agencies will:*
- ☐ a. Absorb these additional costs within their existing budgets and resources.
- ☒ b. Increase the currently authorized budget level for the 2023-2024 Fiscal Year

- ☐ 2. Savings in the current State Fiscal Year. (Approximate)
- \$ _____
- ☐ 3. No fiscal impact exists. This regulation does not affect any State agency or program.
- ☐ 4. Other. Explain _____

C. FISCAL EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDING OF STATE PROGRAMS *Indicate appropriate boxes 1 through 4 and attach calculations and assumptions of fiscal impact for the current year and two subsequent Fiscal Years.*

- ☐ 1. Additional expenditures in the current State Fiscal Year. (Approximate)
- \$ _____
- ☐ 2. Savings in the current State Fiscal Year. (Approximate)
- \$ _____
- ☒ 3. No fiscal impact exists. This regulation does not affect any federally funded State agency or program.
- ☐ 4. Other. Explain _____

FISCAL OFFICER SIGNATURE

 **Brandy Hunt**

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The signature attests that the agency has completed the STD. 399 according to the instructions in SAM sections 6601-6616, and understands the impacts of the proposed rulemaking. State boards, offices, or departments not under an Agency Secretary must have the form signed by the highest ranking official in the organization.

AGENCY SECRETARY



DATE

8/8/2024

Finance approval and signature is required when SAM sections 6601-6616 require completion of Fiscal Impact Statement in the STD. 399.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE PROGRAM BUDGET MANAGER



DATE