

Senate Fiscal Summary

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Senate Bill 2141

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Agency:	Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)
Senate Author:	Jett
House Author:	
FY'27 Impact:	\$2,424,207
Full Year Impact:	\$424,207

Bill Summary and Fiscal Analysis:

SB 2141 prohibits the land-application of human-derived biosolids or septage to agricultural land unless the material has been sampled and analyzed for PFAs in an accredited laboratory or in a manner approved by the Department of Environmental Quality, and that test results shall be reported to the Department. The DEQ is directed to establish a tiered PFAs concentration framework for biosolids and septage intended for land application and is authorized to adopt more protective tier thresholds than what is required in the proposal. The Department is authorized to work in consultation with the Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry to adopt additional safeguards for land application of biosolids on land.

The Department shares a first year impact of \$2,424,207 for the software to implement the provisions of the proposal and the initial onboarding of 4 FTE, and a recurring fiscal impact of \$424,207 to maintain the FTE required.

Fiscal impact provided by the Department of Environmental Quality and Senate Fiscal Staff.