Multiple Agency Fiscal Note Summary

Bill Number: 2081 HB Title: Home equity sharing

Estimated Cash Receipts

Agency Name	2023-25			2025-27			2027-29		
	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total
Department of Financial Institutions	0	0	44,407	0	0	79,300	0	0	67,570
Total \$	0	0	44,407	0	0	79,300	0	0	67,570

Estimated Operating Expenditures

Agency Name	2023-25			2025-27				2027-29				
	FTEs	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	FTEs	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total	FTEs	GF-State	NGF-Outlook	Total
Department of Financial Institutions	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0
Department of Commerce	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	.0	0	0	0
Total \$	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0

Estimated Capital Budget Expenditures

Agency Name	2023-25			2025-27			2027-29		
	FTEs	Bonds	Total	FTEs	Bonds	Total	FTEs	Bonds	Total
Department of Financial	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0
Institutions									
Department of Commerce	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0
Total \$	0.0	•		0.0			0.0		

Estimated Capital Budget Breakout

NONE

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Individual State Agency Fiscal Note

Bill Number: 2081 HB	Title: Ho	ome equity sharing	5	Agen	cy: 102-Departme Institutions	nt of Financial
Part I: Estimates No Fiscal Impact						
Estimated Cash Receipts to:						
ACCOUNT		FY 2024	FY 2025	2023-25	2025-27	2027-29
Financial Services Regulation Account-State 300-1			44,407	44,407	79,300	67,570
	Total \$		44,407	44,407	79,300	67,570
Estimated Operating Expendit NONE Estimated Capital Budget Impa						
NONE						
The cash receipts and expenditure			nost likely fiscal imp	act. Factors impacti	ng the precision of th	hese estimates,
and alternate ranges (if appropri						
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X If fiscal impact is less than	\$50,000 per fisc	al year in the curr	ent biennium or in	subsequent bienni	a, complete this pa	ge only (Part I)
Capital budget impact, cor	mplete Part IV.					
X Requires new rule making	, complete Part V	7.				
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Part II: Narrative Explanation

II. A - Brief Description Of What The Measure Does That Has Fiscal Impact

Significant provisions of the bill and any related workload or policy assumptions that have revenue or expenditure impact on the responding agency by section number.

This bill revises Chapter 31.04 RCW, the Consumer Loan Act (CLA). Section 1 adds a definition of "home equity sharing agreement," and further clarifies that a home equity sharing agreement is also considered a residential mortgage loan. Section 3 sets forth terms that are prohibited in home equity sharing agreements. Section 3 also limits the amounts that can be collected from a borrower in a home equity sharing agreement.

II. B - Cash receipts Impact

Cash receipts impact of the legislation on the responding agency with the cash receipts provisions identified by section number and when appropriate, the detail of the revenue sources. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the cash receipts impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

The Department of Financial Institutions (DFI) estimates that approximately 10 companies providing home equity sharing agreements will need to become licensed under the Consumer Loan Act (CLA) under the proposed amendments.

DFI expects to collect about \$10,622.10 (\$1,062.21 x 10) in initial licensing fees during FY25 from the estimated 10 companies.

Licensees under the CLA pay an assessment fee based on their volume of business in the previous year. DFI estimates the following revenue under the assumption that applicants will pay an assessment of \$3,378.47 each year (average assessment for existing consumer lenders in CY 2022). The first annual assessment fees will be due in early CY 2025 for business conducted in CY 2024. DFI expects to collect \$33,784.70 (\$3,378.47 x 10) during FY25 and ongoing.

In addition, each licensee under the CLA is subject to examination. Exam costs will be billed at \$69 per hour and each initial exam will likely require 17 hours. New licensees are examined within the first 12-24 months of licensure. DFI expects to examine 5 licensees in FY26, resulting in \$5,865 (\$69 x 17 x 5) and 5 licensees in FY27, resulting in \$5,865 in FY27 (\$69 x 17 x 5). After the initial exam, DFI conducts routine exams on a risk based cycle.

For purposes of this fiscal note, investigative fees are not included as they are indeterminate due to an inability to estimate the level of enforcement activity on equity sharing agreements.

II. C - Expenditures

Agency expenditures necessary to implement this legislation (or savings resulting from this legislation), with the provisions of the legislation that result in the expenditures (or savings) identified by section number. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the expenditure impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into cost estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

Under this legislation, DFI would collect financial, criminal background information, and other identifying information for review of suitability for licensure. DFI would have authority to examine and investigate each licensee, as well as receive, investigate, and resolve complaints. DFI anticipates this work will be performed using existing resources.

Part III: Expenditure Detail

III. A - Operating Budget Expenditures NONE

III. B - Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

III. C - Operating FTE Detail: FTEs listed by classification and corresponding annual compensation. Totals agree with total FTEs in Part I and Part IIIA. **NONE**

III. D - Expenditures By Program (optional)

NONE

Part IV: Capital Budget Impact

IV. A - Capital Budget Expenditures

NONE

IV. B - Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

IV. C - Capital Budget Breakout

Acquisition and construction costs not reflected elsewhere on the fiscal note and description of potential financing methods.

NONE

IV. D - Capital FTE Detail: FTEs listed by classification and corresponding annual compensation. Totals agree with total FTEs in Part IVB.

NONE

Part V: New Rule Making Required

Provisions of the bill that require the agency to adopt new administrative rules or repeal/revise existing rules.

Section 3 - The proposed legislation grants DFI the authority to adopt rules as necessary to implement the provisions of the act. Rulemaking costs will be absorbed.

Individual State Agency Fiscal Note

Bill Number: 2081 HB	Title: Home equity sharing	Agency:	103-Department of Commerc
Part I: Estimates		•	
X No Fiscal Impact			
Estimated Cash Receipts to:			
NONE			
Estimated Operating Expenditu NONE	res from:		
Estimated Capital Budget Impac	f:		
NONE			
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If fiscal impact is less than S	\$50,000 per fiscal year in the current bienniu	um or in subsequent biennia, c	omplete this page only (Part I)
Capital budget impact, com	plete Part IV.		
Requires new rule making,	complete Part V.		
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Agency Approval: Hayley	Tresenriter	Phone: 360-725-3042	Date: 01/11/2024
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Part II: Narrative Explanation

II. A - Brief Description Of What The Measure Does That Has Fiscal Impact

Significant provisions of the bill and any related workload or policy assumptions that have revenue or expenditure impact on the responding agency by section number.

Section 1: Amends RCW 31.04.015 to include a definition for "Residential mortgage loan" and "Home equity sharing agreement".

Section 2: Amends RCW 31.04.102 to include federal law updates.

Section 3: A new section adds to RCW 31.04 guidelines for home equity agreements, which expands the activities regulated by the Consumer Loan Act (RCW 31.04) to include the advancement of a sum of money or thing of value to a borrower in exchange for an interest or future share of equity in the borrower's residential real estate including a future obligation to pay a sum upon the occurrence of an agreed-upon event.

This bill does not impact the Department of Commerce.

II. B - Cash receipts Impact

Cash receipts impact of the legislation on the responding agency with the cash receipts provisions identified by section number and when appropriate, the detail of the revenue sources. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the cash receipts impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

II. C - Expenditures

Agency expenditures necessary to implement this legislation (or savings resulting from this legislation), with the provisions of the legislation that result in the expenditures (or savings) identified by section number. Description of the factual basis of the assumptions and the method by which the expenditure impact is derived. Explanation of how workload assumptions translate into cost estimates. Distinguished between one time and ongoing functions.

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Part III: Expenditure Detail

III. A - Operating Budget Expenditures
NONE

III. B - Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

III. C - Operating FTE Detail: FTEs listed by classification and corresponding annual compensation. Totals agree with total FTEs in Part I and Part IIIA.

NONE

III. D - Expenditures By Program (optional)

NONE

Part IV: Capital Budget Impact

IV. A - Capital Budget Expenditures
NONE

IV. B - Expenditures by Object Or Purpose

NONE

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Acquisition and construction costs not reflected elsewhere on the fiscal note and description of potential financing methods.

NONE

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Provisions of the bill that require the agency to adopt new administrative rules or repeal/revise existing rules.