# Fiscal Impact Statement Prepared By New York City Mayor's Office of Management and Budget



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**Proposed Intro No. / Title:** Int. 1455 / PFAS screening program for firefighters

Sponsors: Ariola

Committee: Fire and Emergency Management

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill establishes a program to provide perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) screenings for firefighters. This program would be implemented by the Fire Department (FDNY) and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DOHMH). Additionally, FDNY and DOHMH must report annually on the results of the program.

Effective Date: 120 days after it becomes law

First Fiscal Year Legislation Takes Effect: Fiscal Year 2026

First Fiscal Year with Full Impact: Fiscal Year 2027

Agencies Impacted: New York City Fire Department, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

#### **Fiscal Impact Analysis**

#### A. Total Impact (Expense and Revenue)

|         | Fiscal Year 1 | Fiscal Year 2 | Fiscal Year 3 | Fiscal Year 4 | Total          |
|---------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| Expense | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$20,000,00)  |
| Revenue | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0              |
| Total   | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$20,,000,00) |

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## B. Expense

|              | Fiscal Year 1 | Fiscal Year 2 | Fiscal Year 3 | Fiscal Year 4 | Total         |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expenditures | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$5,000,000) | (\$20,000,00) |

# **Impact on Expenditures (Expense):**

It is anticipated that it would cost FDNY \$5,000,000 per year for PFAS. The cost is based on adding two tests to the existing complement of bloodwork already performed on 15,000 Fire personnel annually (\$300/member for PFAS testing and \$35/member for thyroid testing).

Long term, there could be much greater costs to the City.

## C. Revenue

|         | Fiscal Year 1 | Fiscal Year 2 | Fiscal Year 3 | Fiscal Year 4 | Total |
|---------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------|
| Revenue | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0     |

#### **Impact on Revenue:**

There is no anticipated impact on revenue.

## D. Capital

|              | Fiscal Year 1 | Fiscal Year 2 | Fiscal Year 3 | Fiscal Year 4 | Total |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------|
| Expenditures | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0     |

## **Impact on Expenditures (Capital):**

There is no anticipated impact on capital expenditures.

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