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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6023**  
**BILL NUMBER: SB 3**

**DATE PREPARED:** Oct 26, 1998  
**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Nurse licensure.

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**FUNDS AFFECTED:**  **GENERAL**  
**DEDICATED**  
**FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill authorizes the Indiana State Board of Nursing to license by endorsement an applicant who has completed and achieved a passing score on the English version of the Canadian Nurse Association Testing Service Examination, is currently licensed as a registered nurse in a Canadian province or another state, and meets all other requirements for receiving a license to practice as a registered nurse under Indiana law.

**Effective Date:** Upon passage.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:** Authorizing the Indiana State Board of Nursing to license by endorsement applicants who have been licensed as registered nurses by examination under the laws of a Canadian province may increase license fee revenue by an insignificant amount. The current fee for license by endorsement is \$30, however, few individuals are expected to be affected by this proposal. All license fees collected would be deposited in the state General Fund.

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** Indiana Health Professions Bureau.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:** Gina Voorhies, Director, Indiana State Board of Nursing, (317) 233-4405.