

Economic Impact Statement

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IC 4-22-2.1-5 Statement Concerning Rules Affecting Small Businesses

The proposed rule does not impose any requirements or costs on any Indiana small businesses under [IC 4-22-2.1-5](#). The proposed rule updates existing regulations to reflect a change in the Riverboat Gambling Act which requires that the Indiana Gaming Commission employ gaming agents to carry out the enforcement functions of the Commission in the place of the Indiana State Police. The proposed rule requires Indiana's riverboat owner licensees and operating agents to reimburse the Indiana Gaming Commission for the salaries, fringe benefits, incentive payments, and training expenses of gaming agents, supervisors, and support staff. The reimbursement of these expenses is required by the Riverboat Gambling Act at [IC 4-33-4-3.5](#). The reimbursement requirement only applies to Indiana's riverboat licensees and operating agents. None of Indiana's riverboat licensees or operating agent qualify as a small business as defined in [IC 4-22-2.1-4](#).

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