

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

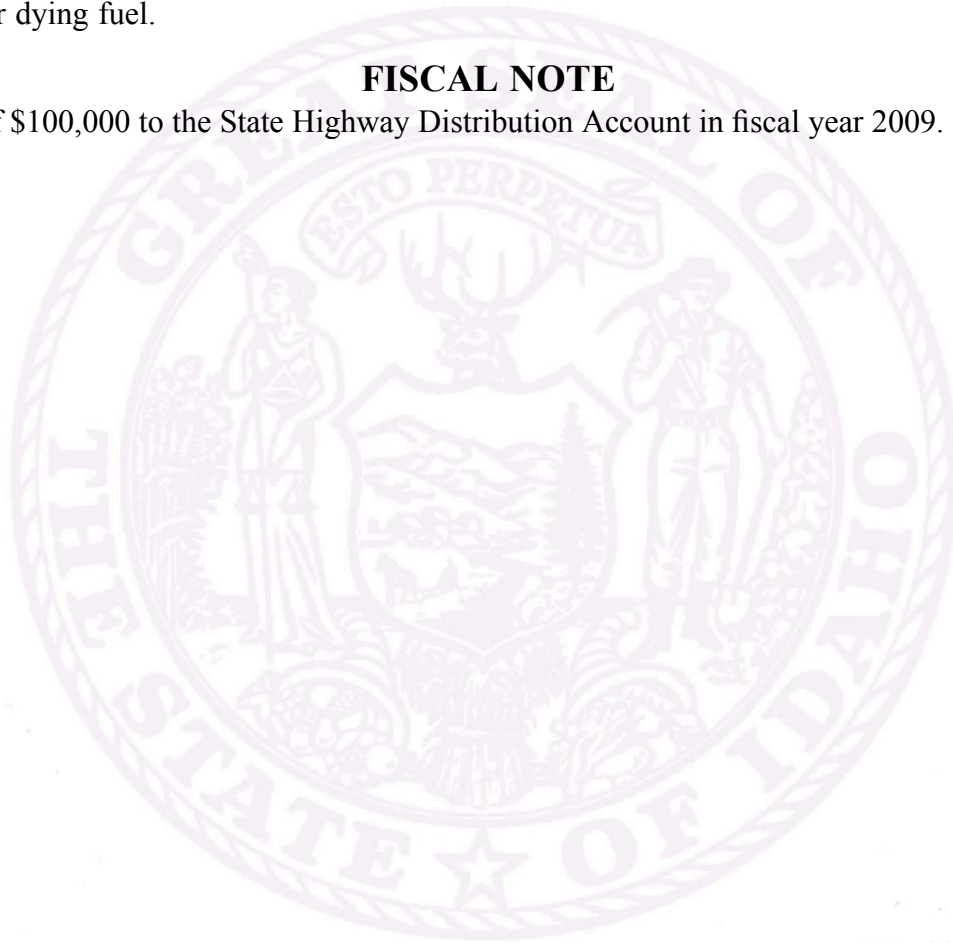
RS18180C1

This bill proposes civil penalties for violation of the motor fuel tax laws prohibiting the use of dyed diesel fuel or for refusal to permit inspection of fuel tanks and dyeing equipment. The proposed penalties are:

- \$1,000 for each illegal use of dyed or untaxed diesel fuel on a highway.
- \$1,000 for refusing to allow inspection or sampling of a fuel tank or inspection of equipment used for dyeing fuel.

FISCAL NOTE

Increase of \$100,000 to the State Highway Distribution Account in fiscal year 2009.



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