

Fiscal Estimate - 2007 Session

Original
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 Supplemental

LRB Number 07-0210/1	Introduction Number AB-0039
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Description
 Allowing access to pending paternity proceeding information for purposes of administering the child support establishment program

Fiscal Effect

State:

No State Fiscal Effect
 Indeterminate

<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs
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Local:

No Local Government Costs
 Indeterminate

1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts
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Fund Sources Affected	Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS	

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill authorizes personnel from the Department of Workforce Development (DWD) or from county child support agencies to have access to court records of pending paternity actions, even if DWD or a county child support agency is not a party to the action to which the record relates. Those records are currently confidential, with access limited to the child's parents and the parties to the action and their attorneys.

This bill will require computer programming changes in order to allow access to these records through the case management system maintained by the Supreme Court's Consolidated Court Automation Programs (CCAP). It is estimated the costs of these computer programming changes can be absorbed within the current budget for CCAP.

In addition, there may be additional tasks required of the county Clerk of Circuit Court, who would arrange for access to these records by the county child support agencies. It is estimated these costs to the counties would not be substantial and could be absorbed within current budgets.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications