

Fiscal Estimate - 2015 Session

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LRB Number 15-2947/1	Introduction Number SB-309
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Fiscal Effect State: <input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	
Local: <input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts	
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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Congress recently enacted the "Preventing Sex Trafficking and Strengthening Families Act", which made certain changes to Title IV-E of the Social Security Act. This bill incorporates those changes into the Children's Code and the Juvenile Justice Code.

In order to meet the proposed requirements of the bill, it is possible these changes will result in increased workload for Agents in the Department of Corrections (DOC) or counties who supervise juveniles and/or alternate care providers that the Department uses. It is not possible to determine the amount of additional workload there would be since the preparation of each child's permanency plan would require a different amount of time. Therefore, it is not possible to determine if the increased workload would require counties or DOC to hire additional staff to handle the additional assessments, or if they would be able to absorb the additional work with the staff they currently have.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications