

### Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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  Supplemental

<b>LRB Number</b> <b>21-3658/1</b>	<b>Introduction Number</b> <b>AB-0418</b>
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**Description**  
 the appointment of a guardian ad litem in a proceeding to grant reasonable visitation rights to a nonparent

**Fiscal Effect**

**State:**

- No State Fiscal Effect
- Indeterminate
  - Increase Existing Appropriations
  - Decrease Existing Appropriations
  - Create New Appropriations
- Increase Existing Revenues
- Decrease Existing Revenues
- Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget
  - Yes       No
- Decrease Costs

**Local:**

- No Local Government Costs
  - Indeterminate
    - 1.  Increase Costs      3.  Increase Revenue
    - Permissive  Mandatory       Permissive  Mandatory
    - 2.  Decrease Costs      4.  Decrease Revenue
    - Permissive  Mandatory       Permissive  Mandatory
- 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected**
- Towns       Village       Cities
  - Counties       Others
  - School Districts       WTCS Districts

**Fund Sources Affected** **Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations**

GPR     FED     PRO     PRS     SEG     SEGS

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**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

**DCF 7/1/2021**

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**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

Under this bill, courts are required to appoint a GAL for a minor child in a proceeding to grant reasonable visitation rights to a non-parent. There is no state fiscal effect for DCF under this bill, as it applies only to proceedings under chapter 767. However, family court costs may increase in the amount of new and additional services required and provided under this bill.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**