

FISCAL NOTE

HB 1540 - SB 1715

March 10, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Makes it a Class C misdemeanor for the parent or guardian of a minor to allow such person to illegally possess or purchase tobacco products. A violation would be punishable by a fine only, for the first offense, of \$25; for each succeeding offense within a two-year period a violation is punishable by a fine only of \$50.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

Impact depends upon the number of persons convicted of this offense and the resulting increased revenues to local governments from fines levied and collected under the provisions of this bill.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director