

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1220 - HB 896

March 5, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates the criminal offense of failing to supervise a child under 16 years of age by parent, guardian, or other person charged with custody and control. The penalty for first offense is a Class C misdemeanor and second and subsequent offense is a Class A misdemeanor.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Exceeds \$100,000
Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant
Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

Assumes additional unruly children will be placed in state custody annually for care and treatment.

Impact depends upon the number of persons convicted of this offense and the resulting increased cost to local governments to confine such persons versus the 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

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