

FISCAL NOTE

HB 925 - SB 1193

March 23, 1999

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes a court to expunge records of a convicted criminal offender if the following conditions are met:

- Offender petitions the original sentencing court;
- Conviction occurred at least 25 years ago;
- Offense was nonviolent in nature;
- Offender has behaved responsibly since the date of the conviction;
- District attorney general receives 90 days notice of the proposed expungement and submits recommendation to the court.

If the court orders expungement, the offender will pay the \$50 expungement fee to Tennessee Bureau of Investigation.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - Not Significant
Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumes petitions to the courts to expunge records and the number of records ordered expunged by the courts will not be significant.

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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