

FISCAL NOTE

SB 2213 - HB 2187

January 27, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that it is an offense to sell, rent or otherwise provide, for a charge, any video game to any person 18 years of age or younger which contains scenes or depictions of graphic violence as determined by the Entertainment Software Rating Board. The first violation is a Class B misdemeanor and any second or subsequent violation is a Class A misdemeanor.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

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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