

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2338 - SB 2322

March 29, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the Commissioner of Safety to take the necessary steps to computerize applications for and records of cultural, specialty earmarked and new specialty earmarked plates, memorial plates and special purpose plates.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Expenditures - \$348,000 Recurring
Exceeds \$2,000,000 One-Time**

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Exceeds \$100,000* One-Time

Assumptions:

- A one-time increase in state expenditures to set up various computer databases and establish links with the county clerks.
- A recurring increase in state expenditures for three positions and related operational expenses to maintain the database.
- A one-time increase in local government expenditures for computer equipment and training.

*Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: *no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

CERTIFICATION:

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



James W. White, Executive Director