



April 21, 2009

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (006510):** Includes a meeting held by electronic or other means of communication in the definition of “meeting.” Encourages the appointing authority to ensure that at least one member of the Tennessee Athletic Commission resides in each municipality of the state with a population of greater than 155,000 according to the 2000 or any subsequent federal census.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:**

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:**

**Increase State Expenditures - \$2,300**

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- According to the Tennessee Athletic Commission, there is currently no representation on the Commission from the Knoxville area.
- A member of the Commission will be appointed from the Knoxville area. This appointment could result in additional travel expenses being paid.
- The Commission meets 12 times per year and these meetings are normally held in Nashville.
- Each member of the Commission is paid a stipend of \$150 as well as travel expenses. No increase in stipend expenditures will be incurred as each member is currently receiving this payment.
- Mileage expense for a member appointed from Knoxville is estimated to equal \$189 (350 miles x \$.54). Total increase in state expenditures for 12 meetings is estimated to equal \$2,268 (\$189 x 12).
- Any cost for the additional duties of the Commission can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

**CERTIFICATION:**

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and a distinct "W".

James W. White, Executive Director

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