

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 422 – SB 435

February 20, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates requirement for licensure and regulation of dog and cat dealers.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenue - \$10,100
Decrease State Expenditures - \$10,100

Assumptions:

- Revenue collected from pet stores in FY2008 equaled \$10,125.
- According to the Department of Agriculture, removing the travel costs associated with the enforcement of these requirements will off-set the loss in revenue generated by issuance of licenses.
- No impact on local government regulatory activities.

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

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