

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1881 – SB 2051

February 25, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes Hamilton County to respond to barking dog calls and enact regulations regarding barking dog cases. Currently Hamilton County is only authorized to respond to calls regarding dogs running at large.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase Local Revenue – Not Significant/Permissive
Increase Local Expenditures – Not Significant/Permissive**

Assumptions:

- According to Hamilton County, any increase in local revenue from fines related to barking dog cases is estimated to be not significant.
- Any increase in local expenditures for the sheriff's office to respond to barking dog calls is estimated to be not significant. The sheriff's office is currently treating these calls as a disturbance of the peace.

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 cursive script that reads "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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