

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 2389

January 6, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Adds as an advisory enhancement factor to sentencing that applies if the defendant used, possessed, carried, or employed a firearm during the commission of an offense, and at the time of the offense, had a handgun carry permit.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- Currently, Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-35-114(9) authorizes an enhancement to a defendant's sentence if the defendant possessed or employed a firearm, explosive device, or other deadly weapon during the commission of an offense.
- Any cost can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

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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