

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 79 - HB 115

February 14, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Declares that every person has the right to decline or choose any mode of securing health care services or health insurance without penalty or threat of penalty. Prohibits any public official, employee, or agent of the state or any of its political subdivisions from imposing, collecting, enforcing, or effectuating any penalty for an individual practicing this right.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Prohibiting any agent of the state from interfering with a citizen choosing to purchase or not purchase health insurance or implementing a penalty for nonparticipation will result in a not significant impact to the state.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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