

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1425 – HB 1906

February 7, 2014

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes local education agencies (LEAs) to educate students on the history of traditional winter celebrations and to let students and staff offer traditional greetings. Authorizes LEAs to display scenes or symbols associated with traditional winter celebrations on school property, if the display includes more than one religion, or one religion and at least one secular scene or symbol. Prohibits displays from including a message that encourages adhering to a particular religious belief.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Any increase in local expenditures to display scenes or symbols will be permissive and are estimated to be not significant.
- No fiscal impact on state expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

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

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Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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