

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2374 – SB 2341

April 7, 2016

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Authorizes the District Attorney General of each judicial district to submit currently required reports and data regarding child protective teams to the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Civil Justice Committee of the House of Representatives in an electronic format.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014937): Deletes all language of the original bill. Amends the determinate release statute, Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-35-501 (a)(7)(A), to reflect when a person with a felony sentence of less than two years is eligible for determinate release. Clarifies that individuals who have been released on determinate release in the past and are then revoked will not be eligible for determinate release again and must serve out the term of their sentence, less any credits for time served, plus any sentence credits earned and retained by the inmate.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

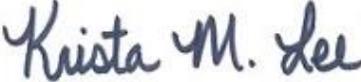
Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Based on information provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts, the proposed amendatory language would give statutory authority for current practices already being utilized by the Department of Corrections and the trial courts.
- The Administrative Office of the Courts, the District Attorneys General Conference, and the District Public Defenders Conference confirm that the legislation will not significantly impact their caseloads and operations.
- Any impact on state incarceration costs will be not significant.

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CERTIFICATION:

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



Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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