

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1175 - SB 1259

March 26, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases, from 500 to 1,000 feet, the distance from a highway where penalties can be levied for dumping or disposing of trash near a state highway, and where penalties can be doubled if the littering is near a scenic highway.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Transportation, this bill will have minimal fiscal impact on the department.
- There could be additional fine revenue to state and local government if citations are issued for littering when the distance from the highway or scenic highway is greater than 500 feet, but less than 1,000 feet; however, any increases in state or local revenue are estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeffrey L. Spalding".

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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