

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1716 - SB 1686

February 8, 2016

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates a new Class C misdemeanor of custodial interference for detaining a child within this state or removing a child from this state during a noncustodial parent's lawful period of visitation with the intent of violating the court-ordered visitation, a temporary judgment of visitation, or a permanent judgment of visitation.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant increase in revenue or expenditures.
- It is assumed that the courts, district attorneys, and public defenders can accommodate any impact within their existing resources.
- The Administrative Office of the Courts and the District Attorneys General Conference confirm that they can accommodate any impact within their existing resources.

CERTIFICATION:

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

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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