

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 418

February 18, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires big game hunters, with the exception of turkey hunters, to wear a minimum of 525 square inches, rather than 500 square inches, of daylight fluorescent orange on upper portion of their body and head.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The effective date of the proposed bill is January 1, 2018.
- Increasing the minimum daylight fluorescent orange big game hunters are required to wear while hunting by 25 square inches will not result in a significant fiscal impact to the state or local government.
- The proposed legislation will not significantly impact the number of hunters in the state.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 70-4-124, failure to wear the required amount of fluorescent orange while big game hunting is a Class C misdemeanor.
- There will not be a sufficient change in number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant change in revenue or expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

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

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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