

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SJR 853

February 19, 2020

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Requests the Department of Transportation (TDOT) to study and develop recommendations for the comprehensive opening of roads for off-highway vehicle use in Anderson, Morgan, Scott, Fentress, Pickett, Union, Campbell, and Claiborne counties. Resolves that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the appropriate individuals.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014451): Deletes and rewrites all language after the enacting clause, such that the only substantive change is requesting TDOT consult with the Department of Tourist Development and the Department of Safety to conduct the study.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- This study can be accomplished utilizing existing resources and personnel.
- Requiring TDOT to report facts and findings and make recommendations prior to January 1, 2021, to the Chairs of the Senate Transportation and Safety Committee and the Transportation Committee of the House of Representatives will not result in a significant increase in state expenditures.
- Any increase in state expenditures to prepare and transmit copies of this resolution to the appropriate individuals will 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 "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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