

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 778 – SB 1269**

February 7, 2019

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the head of each state department to report the number of preferred service employees whose employments were impacted by a reduction-in-force during the preceding fiscal year to the Chairs of the State Government Committee of the House of Representatives and the State and Local Government Committee of the Senate by August 1, 2019, and by August 1 of each subsequent year.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 8-30-314(1), if a reduction-in-force is authorized, the Commissioner of the Department of Human Resources is required to report to the Chairs the reason for and the number of positions affected by any such reduction, at the time the preferred service employee whose position is abolished is notified, but not less than 30 days after the reduction.
- Requiring state department heads to annually report this information to the Chairs will not result in a significant increase in state expenditures as such information is already readily available.

**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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