

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1703

January 29, 2020

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires a certificate of birth for each live birth that occurs in this state to include a separate box for the institution, physician, or healthcare provider that prepares the certificate to write in the mother and father's social security number or taxpayer identification number (TIN). If neither is provided, the institution, physician, or healthcare provider must write "Not provided" in the box.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$51,100/FY20-21

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation cannot be accommodated within existing resources. The Department of Health (DOH) will have to update the application the Office of Vital Records uses to receive data on each live birth. The one-time increase in state expenditures is estimated to be \$50,000.
- Further, the DOH will have to update nine forms at a cost of \$125 per form in order to capture the change on all forms that can be filed for a live birth. The one-time increase in state expenditures for the destruction, updating, printing and distributing of the new forms is estimated to be \$1,125 (\$125 x 9 forms).
- The total increase in state expenditures is estimated to be \$51,125 (\$50,000 + \$1,125) in FY20-21.

CERTIFICATION:

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

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Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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