

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 4

January 7, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Exempts farms based solely on the retail sale of rabbit meat directly to consumers from having to obtain a permit for the operation of a point of sale.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, the licensure requirements for these farms would be administered by the United States Department of Agriculture and not by the State of Tennessee.
- There are no verifiable farms that operate solely on the retail sale of rabbit meat in the State of Tennessee; as a result, it is estimated that no such farm exists in Tennessee under current law. Therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to 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 Carsoner".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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