

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1146 - HB 1497

February 11, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Extends, from three to five weeks, the time period in which the State Fire Marshal (SFM) must publish a weekly notice in the newspaper of the county in which an unidentified owner's fireworks were seized before the contraband may be destroyed.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Commerce and Insurance Division of Fire Prevention, no known instance of publishing a notice in a county newspaper due to seized fireworks of an unidentified owner has been recorded. Historically, owners have been identified prior to every previous fireworks seizure.
- It is presumed that requiring additional publications of a newspaper notice will not cause a significant fiscal impact to the Division.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- County newspaper circulations will not incur an increase or decrease in revenue due to the proposed legislation. No significant impact to commerce or jobs in Tennessee.

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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