

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 4454-01
Bill No.: HB 2465
Subject: Children and Minors; Family Law
Type: Original
Date: March 1, 2016

Bill Summary: This proposal repeals certain sections regarding the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.
This fiscal note contains 4 pages.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0

Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$100,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Oversight was unable to receive some of the agency responses in a timely manner due to the short fiscal note request time. Oversight has presented this fiscal note on the best current information that we have or on prior year information regarding a similar bill. Upon the receipt of agency responses, Oversight will review to determine if an updated fiscal note should be prepared and seek the necessary approval of the chairperson of the Joint Committee on Legislative Research to publish a new fiscal note.

Oversight notes this proposal would repeal §454.850 to §454.999 upon the effective date of this proposal. These sections are the 1996 Uniform Interstate Family Support Act. The Uniform Interstate Family Support Act (UIFSA) provides universal and uniform rules for the enforcement of family support orders. The Uniform Law Commission is made up of federal and state child support officials and is the enforcer of the UIFSA.

Oversight notes the Uniform Law Commission is requiring each state to adopt the 2008 UIFSA by the end of the 2015 legislative session as a condition to continue receipt of federal funds supporting state child support programs. Missouri is currently out of compliance as our statutes include the 1996 UIFSA and the 2008 UIFSA. Missouri is currently set to lose our federal funding if the 2008 UIFSA laws are not the only ones enacted.

This proposal is removing the 1996 UIFSA laws in Missouri with the repeal of §454.850 to §454.999. Additionally this proposal is enacting the 2008 UIFSA laws in §454.1500 to §454.1728 effective upon passage of this proposal. **Oversight** assumes that these changes would bring Missouri into compliance and not have a fiscal impact.

Officials at the **Office of the Attorney General** assume that any potential costs arising from this proposal can be absorbed with existing resources.

Officials at the **Office of the Governor** and the **Office of the State Courts Administrator** each assume there is no fiscal impact from this proposal to their respective agencies.

In response to similar legislation this year, SCS for SB Nos. 905 & 992, officials at the **Department of Social Services** assumed no fiscal impact from this proposal.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2017 (10 Mo.)	FY 2018	FY 2019
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2017 (10 Mo.)	FY 2018	FY 2019
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

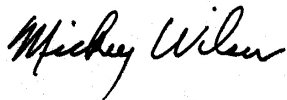
FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Social Services
Office of the Governor
Office of the State Courts Administrator
Office of the Attorney General



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