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FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 3708-01
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FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on All State Funds	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.
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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Total Estimated Net Effect on All Federal Funds	**$0**	**$0**	**$0**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Local Government	**Unknown**	**Unknown**	**Unknown**

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Office of State Courts Administrator** assume the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on the courts.

Oversight assumes the extension of the surcharge would result in additional revenues to local political subdivisions after January 1, 2005. Oversight is unable to quantify the amount of revenue.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
	$0	**$0**	**$0**

FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS			
Revenues – court surcharge	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS	**Unknown**	**Unknown**	**Unknown**

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

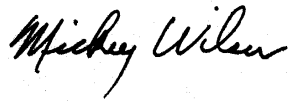
DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation would extend the expiration date for the thirtieth judicial circuit surcharge from January 1, 2005, to January 1, 2010. The proposal would also remove the requirement that the laws must be adopted prior to January 1, 1997.

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

Office of State Courts Administrator



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