

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
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**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 4657-01  
Bill No.: HB 1714  
Subject: Family Law; Gambling; Department of Social Services  
Type: Original  
Date: March 20, 2006

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
General Revenue	(\$12,750)	\$0	\$0
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund</b>	<b>(\$12,750)</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.  
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<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
<b>FUND AFFECTED</b>	<b>FY 2007</b>	<b>FY 2008</b>	<b>FY 2009</b>
Federal Funds	(\$24,750)	\$0	\$0
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>(\$24,750)</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS</b>			
<b>FUND AFFECTED</b>	<b>FY 2007</b>	<b>FY 2008</b>	<b>FY 2009</b>
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**FISCAL ANALYSIS**

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Missouri Gaming Commission** and the **Department of Public Safety – Director’s Office** assume the proposal would have no fiscal impact on their agencies.

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

Officials from the **Department of Social Services – Family Support Division (FSD)** assume they are unable to determine the amount of the possible increase in child support collections from the implementation of this proposal.

FSD also assumes they would need to enhance their MACCS system to track data on individuals found guilty of nonsupport and establish a method for transferring this data to the Gaming Commission to be shared with gambling boats and casinos. Office of Administration – Information Technology Services Division estimates approximately 500 programming and testing hours at \$75 per hour would be required to implement the proposed changes to the automated system. The estimated programming costs are \$37,500. This would be split between the General Revenue and Federal Funds.

ASSUMPTION (continued)

Officials from the **Office of Prosecution Services** assume the proposal would not have a significant direct fiscal impact on county prosecutors.

**Officials from the Office of the State Public Defender did not respond to Oversight's request for fiscal impact.**

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
<b>GENERAL REVENUE FUND</b>			
<u>Costs – Department of Social Services</u>			
Programming Costs	<u>(\$12,750)</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND</b>	<b><u>(\$12,750)</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>
<b>FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
<u>Costs – Department of Social Services</u>			
Programming Costs	<u>(\$24,750)</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS</b>	<b><u>(\$24,750)</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
	<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.

DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation prohibits any person who has been found guilty of or pled guilty to the crime of nonsupport of a spouse or child from being admitted on an excursion gambling boat or casino until the arrearages have been satisfied. The Family Support Division within the Department of Social Services is required to provide to every gambling boat or casino in the state the names of all persons to be barred from admittance. Any excursion gambling boat or casino that knowingly permits a person barred from admittance to gamble will be subject to a fine of \$1,000.

Any person guilty of criminal nonsupport who is admitted on a gambling boat or casino will be guilty of a class B misdemeanor.

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  
Department of Social Services  
Department of Public Safety  
– Director's Office  
Missouri Gaming Commission  
Office of Prosecution Services

NOT RESPONDING

**Office of the State Public Defender**



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