

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 88 – HB 231

February 6, 2017

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Extends the termination date of the State Forestry Commission (SFC) to June 30, 2021. Under the *Tennessee Governmental Entity Review Law*, the Commission is scheduled to terminate on June 30, 2017.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (002706): Adds language to the original bill that authorizes the Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture, the Commissioner of the Department of Environment and Conservation, and the Executive Director of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency to appoint designees to serve as non-voting members of the SFC in lieu of themselves serving on the SFC.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- This bill continues an existing entity at its current funding level.
- According to the Department of Agriculture, the SFC had expenditures of \$6,295 in FY16-16.
- Authorizing designees of the aforementioned officials to serve on the SFC will have no fiscal impact on state government.

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CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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