

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 235 - HB 1076

April 5, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Establishes that any candidate for local public office who fails to file any statement or report as required by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 60, Part 5, regarding disclosure statements of conflicts of interest by public officials, or who fails to pay civil penalties owed to the Tennessee Ethics Commission, shall be deemed ineligible to qualify for such election.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation could incentivize candidates for local public office to pay civil penalties imposed against them.
- However, it is assumed that an overwhelming majority of candidates would pay such penalties under current law. Therefore, any increase in state revenue is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

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

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