

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 383 - HB 1126

March 3, 2021

SUMMARY OF BILL: Revises the definition of 'seclusion' in relation to administrative procedures at juvenile detention facilities approved, certified, or licensed by the Department of Children's Services (DCS).

Prohibits the DCS from using seclusion for discipline, punishment, administrative convenience, retaliation, staffing shortages, or any reason other than a temporary response to behavior that threatens immediate harm to a youth or others.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Based on information provided by the DCS, the proposed legislation will not alter existing Department policies or procedures; therefore, any fiscal impact to DCS 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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Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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