

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 931 - HB 1158

March 10, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires any property or material in a criminal proceeding relating to sexual exploitation of minors to remain in the care, custody, and control of either the state or court. Authorizes a defendant to inspect, view, or examine the property or material, but not copy, photograph, duplicate, or otherwise reproduce such property or material.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Tennessee Code Annotated § 18-1-206 requires courts to preserve physical evidence in criminal cases until the appeals process is complete.
- It is assumed that the proposed legislation will not significantly impact the courts.
- The Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, the Department of Safety, the Administrative Office of the Courts, court clerks, and local law enforcement all confirm that the proposed legislation will not significantly impact their operations.

CERTIFICATION:

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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