

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1212 - SB 1410**

February 11, 2023

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes a person who is 16 or 17 years of age to work in a place of employment where the average monthly gross receipts from the sale of intoxicating beverages exceed 25 percent of the total gross receipts of the place of employment; provided, such individuals are not permitted to take orders or serve intoxicating beverages.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 50-5-106(18), a person under the age of 18 may not be employed in a place of employment where the average monthly gross receipts from the sale of intoxicating beverages exceed 25 percent of the total gross receipts of the place of employment, or in any place of employment where such person will be permitted to take orders for or serve intoxicating beverages, regardless of the amount of intoxicating beverages sold in the place of employment.
- Further, pursuant to Rule 0100-01-.03(10) of the Alcoholic Beverage Commission, no person under the age of 18 years is permitted to dispense, serve, or sell alcoholic or malt beverages in a licensed bar.
- This legislation will not impact individuals that are currently able to serve or sell alcoholic beverages; however, it will allow individuals, who are 16 or 17 years age, to work in certain restaurants or bars, provided that they are not permitted to take orders or serve intoxicating beverages.
- Based on information provided by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, this legislation will have no significant impact on the enforcement duties of the department.
- Based on information provided by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission, this language will have no significant impact on the enforcement duties of the commission.
- An applicant for an on-premise server permit must be at least 18 years of age; therefore, there will not be an increase in state revenue as a result of this legislation.

**HB 1212 - SB 1410**

**IMPACT TO COMMERCE:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- This legislation may result in an expanded pool of applicants to certain job opportunities in places where intoxicating beverages are sold; however, this will not create new job opportunities in the market.
- Any impact on business expenditures is estimated to be not significant.
- There will be no significant impact to commerce or jobs in this state.

**CERTIFICATION:**

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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

/jb