

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1687

January 15, 2024

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes certain nurse practitioners or physician assistants to perform a physical examination on emergency call takers or public safety dispatchers.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Tennessee Code Annotated § 7-86-205(d)(7) requires emergency call takers or public safety dispatchers to pass a physical examination by a licensed physician as part of the job requirements determined by the Emergency Communications Board.
- Expanding the requirements of who can perform the physical examination will not result in a significant impact to state or local government.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-86-303(d) all funding collected by the Emergency Communications Board is deposited into the 911 Emergency Communications Fund.
- A total of \$164,698,200 (\$158,876,400 dedicated funds and \$5,821,800 in revenue) was allocated to the 911 Emergency Fund for FY23-24.

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".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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