# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

# SB 2482 - HB 2488

February 15, 2018

FISCAL NOTE

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires healthcare practitioners, before any vaccine is administered to a patient, to present the patient with a list of the vaccine's ingredients, a list of the potential side effects, and information about the purpose and availability of the federal vaccine adverse event reporting system (VAERS).

# **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

### Assumptions:

- Based on information provided by the Department of Health (DOH), the proposed legislation will not impact any programs or policies of the DOH or the Board of Medical Examiners (BME); therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-29-121, all health related boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. The BME had an annual surplus of \$382,952 in FY15-16, an annual deficit of \$4,714 in FY16-17, and a cumulative reserve balance of \$2,855,288 on June 30, 2017.

# **CERTIFICATION:**

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

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