

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1775 - HB 1858

February 3, 2024

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes individuals who apply for the home address confidentiality program to reside at an address not previously identified in any public record as the person's address. Authorizes a co-applicant was under 18 years of age when enrolled in the program, but at least 18 years of age at the time of renewal to renew their participation in the program directly with the Secretary of State (SOS).

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-38-602, victims of domestic abuse, stalking, human trafficking, rape, sexual battery, or any sexual offense and their minor children are provided a substitute confidential address to protect a real address from public records.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-38-604(c)(7), eligible participants are forwarded their first-class mail, legal documents, and certified mail to the confidential address by the SOS.
- The proposed legislation is not anticipated to result in any significant increase in the number of individuals who apply for the home address confidentiality program.
- Any changes to the policies and procedures within the SOS that result from the proposed legislation can be accomplished within existing resources and personnel, and therefore will not result in any increase in expenditures.

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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