

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1843 - HB 1897

January 30, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires employers of healthcare prescribers to report to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI) and local law enforcement authorities, as well as the Department of Health (DOH), prescribers that acquire or attempt to acquire controlled substances by misrepresentation, fraud, forgery, deception, or subterfuge.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The TBI may see an increase in complaints; however, it is reasonably estimated that the number of additional investigations will not be significant and can be accommodated within existing resources.
- The proposed legislation will not have a significant impact on the procedures or processes of the Department of Health or any health-related boards; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.
- Any other fiscal impact as a result of this bill will be borne by private employers.

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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