# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



# FISCAL NOTE

SB 684 - HB 896

March 10, 2021

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes persons deprived of the right of suffrage to apply for a voter registration card and have the right of suffrage provisionally restored if the person enters into a payment plan to become current on all child support obligations.

## **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

# Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-29-202, a person shall not be eligible to have voting rights restored unless the person has paid all restitution to any victims, has paid all court costs due at the conclusion of the person's trial, and is current on all child support obligations.
- The proposed legislation would authorize such right to be restored if the person is declared indigent or if the person is making payments towards child support obligations.
- Restoration of voting rights for such persons will not result in any significant fiscal impact to state or local government.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

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

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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