TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2032 – SB 2505

March 29, 2018

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Authorizes expungement for convictions of prostitution or aggravated prostitution if the conduct upon which the conviction is based was found to have occurred as a result of the person being a victim of human trafficking.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Revenue – \$200/TBI \$400/District Attorneys

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (016269): Deletes all language after the enacting clause and rewrites the proposed legislation to limit the proposed expungement to juvenile records for convictions of prostitution or aggravated prostitution.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Tennessee Code Annotated § 37-1-153(f) authorizes a juvenile court to order all or any portion of a juvenile's court record expunged.
- The proposed legislation adds a subdivision to Tenn. Code Ann. § 37-1-153(f) authorizing expungement of juvenile records related to any delinquent adjudication for conduct that would constitute prostitution or aggravated prostitution if committed by an adult.
- There is no data on the number of juveniles adjudicated delinquent for conduct that would constitute prostitution or aggravated prostitution if committed by an adult. However, unlike Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-32-101 (expunction of criminal records), Tenn. Code Ann. § 37-1-153 does not require a fee for expungement of juvenile records.
- The proposed legislation will not significantly impact local revenue or expenditures related to expungement of juvenile records.

CERTIFICATION:

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

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