

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 200 – SB 205

January 26, 2021

SUMMARY OF BILL: Expands the factors a court may consider in determining whether termination of parental or guardianship rights is in the best interest of the child. Requires all factors considered by the court to be identified and supported by specific findings of fact in the court's written order.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- No fiscal impact on the operations of the Department of Children's Services.
- Passage of this legislation will have no effect on policies or procedures of the Department of Human Services (DHS); therefore, any fiscal impact to DHS is not significant.
- Based on information provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts, any fiscal impact to the court system is assumed to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bojan Savic".

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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