

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 286 – SB 1150

March 16, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates a Class A misdemeanor for using or possessing a motor vehicle that has a fabricated or altered compartment containing contraband or residue of contraband.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to the provisions of the bill, contraband or contraband residue is necessary to charge an offender with the newly-created Class A misdemeanor.
- It is estimated that offenders charged pursuant to the provisions of the bill will incur additional charges stemming from possessing contraband or residue of contraband; however, it is reasonably assumed the additional charges will not significantly increase local incarceration costs.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant increase in revenue or expenditures.
- The Department of Safety and the Administrative Office of the Courts both report the provisions of the bill will not impact operations of the Department or courts respectively.

CERTIFICATION:

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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