

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**SR 188**

February 24, 2024

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Urges Governor Lee to deploy the Tennessee National Guard (TNG) to support Texas in its efforts to secure its border against illegal immigration.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Based on testimony shared with the House Finance, Ways, and Means Committee on February 12, 2024, the Department of Military currently has 125 TNG troops in Texas in a Title 10 role or federal active duty role.
- In May 2023, Governor Bill Lee authorized the deployment of 100 TNG members.
- During such committee, the DOM provided that there will be two additional deployments in coordination with the Texas National Guard.
- This is assumed to reference the same deployment formerly authorized by the Governor.
- This legislation has no bearing on such deployments, as such would occur regardless of this legislation, but does seek to support such actions.

**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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