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Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **SB 248** SLS 14RS 39

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Visitation between a minor child and an incarcerated parent	

CHILDREN EG NO IMPACT See Note Page 1 of 1

Requires certain factors be considered when a court orders visitation between a minor child and an incarcerated parent. (8/1/14)

Present law provides for certain restrictions when the court considers allowing visitation of a minor child with a parent who has a history of perpetrating family violence or who has sexually abused his or her child or children. Proposed law adds that, when the court is considering the supervised visitation of a minor child with an incarcerated parent, the court shall consider the best interest of the child, including certain factors. When visitation between an incarcerated parent and a child has been prohibited by the court, the court subsequently authorizes restricted visitation, as part of such visitation order the court shall include restrictions, conditions and safeguards as are necessary to protect the mental and physical health of the child and minimize risk of harm to the child. Effective August 1, 2014.

EXPENDITURES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

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| <u>Senate</u> | <u>Dual Referral Rules</u> | <u>House</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S} |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H} | | | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F)(2) >= \$500,000 State Rev. Reduc. {H & S} |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H} | | | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S} |

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