OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE Fiscal Note	AUDITOR					
	Fiscal Note On: HB 126 HLS 17RS 683					
	Bill Text Version: REENGROSSED					
	Opp. Chamb. Action:					
	Proposed Amd.:					
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Subject: Garnishment Payments	Analyst: Steven Kraemer					

CIVIL/GARNISHMENT

RE NO IMPACT LF RV See Note Provides relative to payment of processing fee for certain garnishment proceedings

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Purpose of Bill: This bill provides that constables for justices of the peace are entitled to a 6% fee for collecting money for execution of a writ of fieri facias, without either seizure or sale. In addition, this bill provides that garnishment judgments will be paid to the sheriff, marshal, or constable for processing prior to being paid to the seizing creditor.

EXPENDITURES	<u>2017-18</u>	<u>2018-19</u>	<u>2019-20</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>2021-22</u>	<u>5 -YEAR TOTAL</u>
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>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	<u>2017-18</u>	<u>2018-19</u>	<u>2019-20</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>2021-22</u>	<u>5 -YEAR TOTAL</u>
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

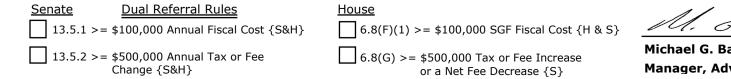
There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

Based on information from the Louisiana Attorney General's Office, Union Parish Sheriff, Pineville City Marshal, Shreveport City Marshal, Louisiana City Marshal and City Constables Association, and Louisiana Justice of the Peace & Constables Association, this bill is not expected to impact the expenditures of sheriffs, marshals, or constables as it appears that this bill is putting the current practice for processing garnishments into law.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

Based on information from the Louisiana Attorney General's Office and Louisiana Justice of the Peace & Constables Association, this bill is not expected to impact the revenues of constables as it appears that this bill is putting a fee that is already being collected by constables into law.



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