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**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **SB 116** SLS 21RS 124

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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<b>Subject:</b> Family Independence Temporary Assistance Program (FITAP)		

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EG -\$27,696 FF EX See Note

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Provides relative to employment, education, and related services for FITAP participants. (gov sig)

Proposed law provides that the Louisiana Workforce Commission (LWC) may collaborate with Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) to identify and coordinate employment services for the program. Proposed law provides that employment services may be delivered pursuant to performance-based contracts between DCFS and LWC, other governmental agencies, or any community partner. Proposed law removes from present law the requirement that the secretary of DCFS provide workers' compensation and liability insurance coverage for participants engaged in work experience or community service activities.

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25</b>	<b>2025-26</b>	<b>5 -YEAR TOTAL</b>
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	(\$27,696)	(\$27,696)	(\$27,696)	(\$27,696)	(\$27,696)	<b>(\$138,480)</b>
Local Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Annual Total</b>	<b>(\$27,696)</b>	<b>(\$27,696)</b>	<b>(\$27,696)</b>	<b>(\$27,696)</b>	<b>(\$27,696)</b>	<b>(\$138,480)</b>

  

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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

This measure is anticipated to reduce DCFS expenditures by \$27,696 for expenses associated with workers' compensation and liability insurance coverage for Family Independence Temporary Assistance Program (FITAP) recipients that are engaged in work experience or community service activities. Proposed law removes the requirement that DCFS must pay for this expense.

NOTE: DCFS has historically reimbursed employers for this expense using 100% federal funds from TANF.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

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

Senate  
 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}  
 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

House  
 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}  
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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