COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 5692-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: HB 2087

Subject: Crimes and Punishment; Health Care; Health Care Professionals

Type: Original Date: April 5, 2006

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
General Revenue	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000) (Less than \$3		
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	(LESS THAN \$100,000)	(LESS THAN \$100,000)	(LESS THAN \$100,000)	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Total Estimated Net Effect on Other State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the Coordinating Board of Higher Education and the Office of State Courts Administrator assume this proposal would not fiscally impact their agency.

Officials from the **Office of Attorney General (AGO)** assume that the implementation of this proposal will create no fiscal impact for this office. However, AGO states since they will be responsible for defending such legislation in constitutionality claims, AGO assumes that the nature of these provisions could create a fiscal impact. As a result, AGO assumes costs are unknown, but under \$100,000.

Oversight assumes, because the potential for litigation is speculative, the AGO may or may not incur costs related to this proposal. Oversight assumes if a fiscal impact were to result, the AGO may request funds to through the appropriations process.

Officials from the **Department of Corrections (DOC)** state currently, the DOC cannot predict the number of new commitments which may result from the creation of the offense(s) outlined in this proposal. An increase in commitments depends on the utilization by prosecutors and the actual sentences imposed by the court.

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<u>ASSUMPTION</u> (continued)

If additional persons are sentenced to the custody of the DOC due to the provisions of this legislation, the DOC will incur a corresponding increase in operational cost either through incarceration (FY05 average of \$39.13 per inmate, per day or an annual cost of \$14,282 per inmate) or through supervision provided by the Board of Probation and Parole (FY03 average of \$3.15 per offender, per day or an annual cost of \$1,150 per offender).

In summary, supervision by the DOC through probation or incarceration would result in additional unknown costs to the department. Eight (8) persons would have to be incarcerated per fiscal year to exceed \$100,000 annually. Due to the narrow scope of this new crime, DOC assumes the impact would be less than \$100,000 per year for the DOC.

Officials from the **State Public Defender**, the **Office of Prosecution Services** and the **University of Missouri** did not respond to our fiscal note request. **Oversight** assumes these agencies would not be fiscally impacted by this proposal.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
GENERAL REVENUE			
<u>Costs</u> - Department of Corrections Program Costs	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE	(LESS THAN \$100,000)	(LESS THAN \$100,000)	(LESS THAN \$100,000)
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

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DESCRIPTION

This proposal prohibits anyone from using a human oocyte for research, treatment, or therapy that has been procured through coercion, payment, or other valuable consideration. Any person violating this provision will be guilty of a class C felony.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Coordinating Board of Higher Education Office of State Courts Administrator Office of Attorney General Department of Corrections

NOT RESPONDING: State Public Defender, Office of Prosecution Services and University of Missouri

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