COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 4055-01 Bill No.: HB 1475

Subject: Credit and Bankruptcy, Employees - Employers, Labor and Management

Type: Original

Date: February 5, 2010

Bill Summary: Makes it an improper employment practice for an employer to refuse to

hire or to discharge, reduce compensation, or modify any condition of a

person's employment based on his or her credit score or history.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	
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 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0	

- □ Estimated Total Net Effect on All funds expected to exceed \$100,000 savings or (cost).
- □ Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund expected to exceed \$100,000 (cost).

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials at the Department of Agriculture, Department of Economic Development, Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Higher Education, Missouri Department of Transportation, Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, Department of Mental Health, Department of Natural Resources, Department of Corrections, Department of Health and Senior Services, Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of Revenue, Department of Social Services, Department of Public Safety, Alcohol and Tobacco Control, Missouri Highway Patrol, Fire Safety, Capitol Police, Missouri Gaming Commission, State Emergency Management Agency, Missouri Veterans Commission, Missouri Department of Conservation, Office of the State Courts Administrator, Office of Prosecution Services, Office of the State Public Defender and the Office of the State Treasurer assume that there is no fiscal impact from this proposal.

Officials at the **Office of Administration** state there is no fiscal impact from this proposal, however, the practice prohibited in this bill is expressly allowed in the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA).

Officials at the **Office of the Attorney General** assume that any potential costs arising from this proposal can be absorbed with existing resources.

Officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State (SOS)** state many bills considered by the General Assembly include provisions allowing or requiring agencies to submit rules and regulations to implement the act. The SOS is provided with core funding to handle a certain amount of normal activity resulting from each year's legislative session. The fiscal impact for this fiscal note to the SOS for Administrative Rules is less than \$2,500. The SOS recognizes that this is a small amount and does not expect that additional funding would be required to meet these costs. However, the SOS also recognizes that many such bills may be passed by the General Assembly in a given year and that collectively the costs may be in excess of what the office can sustain with the core budget. Therefore, the SOS reserves the right to request funding for the cost of supporting administrative rules requirements should the need arise based on a review of the finally approved bills signed by the governor.

Oversight assumes the SOS could absorb the costs of printing and distributing regulations related to this proposal. If multiple bills pass which require the printing and distribution of

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<u>ASSUMPTION</u> (continued)

regulations at substantial costs, the SOS could request funding through the appropriation process.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2011 (10 Mo.)	FY 2012	FY 2013
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2011 (10 Mo.)	FY 2012	FY 2013
	<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.

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no fiscal impact.

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

Office of the State Treasurer
Department of Revenue
Office of the State Public Defender
Department of Public Safety
Alcohol and Tobacco Control
Fire Safety
Capitol Police
State Emergency Management Agency
Department of Economic Development

Department of Agriculture Department of Higher Education

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION (continued)

Missouri Department of Conservation

Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

Missouri Gaming Commission

Office of the Secretary of State

Office of the Attorney General

Missouri Department of Transportation

Missouri Veterans Commission

Office of the State Courts Administrator

Department of Mental Health

Office of Prosecution Services

Department of Health and Senior Services

Department of Natural Resources

Missouri Highway Patrol

Department of Social Services

Office of Administration

Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration

Department of Corrections

Department of Labor and Industrial Relations

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