COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 4059-03

Bill No.: HCS No. 2 for HB 1153

Subject: Credit and Bankruptcy; Employees - Employers

Type: Original April 3, 2014

Bill Summary: This proposal would prohibit an employer from using a job applicant's

personal credit history as a hiring criterion except where the credit history is shown to be directly related to the position sought by the applicant.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
General Revenue	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	
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 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
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 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)					
FUND AFFECTED	FFECTED FY 2015 FY 2016				
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 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

In response to a previous version of this proposal, officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State (SOS)** assume 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 Secretary of State's Office 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, we also recognize 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 our office can sustain with our core budget. Therefore, we reserve 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.

Officials from the **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules** assume this proposal would not have a fiscal impact to their organization.

Officials from the **Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DOLIR)** assumed a previous version of this proposal would implement a complaint system that would be administered by DOLIR. Upon receipt of a complaint, DOLIR would be required to conduct an investigation and issue findings as a result of the investigation. In addition, DOLIR would be required to hold a hearing to determine if a violation has occurred if the situation so warrants. DOLIR officials assume the complaint procedure, investigation requirement, and hearing requirement could require many additional man hours, and in all probability, more personnel depending on the number of complaints filed.

DOLIR officials provided an estimate of fiscal impact of less than \$100,000 per year for this proposal.

Oversight has no information as to the number of complaints that might be received by DOLIR if this proposal is implemented nor the amount of time and other resources that would be required to investigate those complaints and conduct hearings if warranted. Oversight will include the DOLIR cost estimate in this fiscal note.

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ASSUMPTION (continued)

Officials from the Office of Administration - Division of Personnel, the Department of Transportation, Linn State Technical College, Missouri State University, the University of Central Missouri, St. Louis County, the City of Columbia, and the City of Kansas City assume this proposal would have no fiscal impact on their organizations.

Officials from the **Department of Conservation**, the **Department of Labor and Industrial Relations**, **Lincoln University**, **Missouri Southern State University**, **Missouri Western State University**, **Northwest Missouri State University**, the **Francis Howell School District**, and the **St. Louis County Directors of Elections** assumed a previous version of the proposal would have no fiscal impact on their organizations.

Not responding

Officials from the following counties: Andrew, Audrain, Barry, Bates, Boone, Buchanan, Callaway, Camden, Cape Girardeau, Carroll, Cass, Clay, Cole, Cooper, DeKalb, Franklin, Greene, Holt, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Knox, Laclede, Lawrence, Lincoln, Marion, Miller, Moniteau, Monroe, Montgomery, New Madrid, Nodaway, Ozark, Perry, Pettis, Phelps, Platte, Pulaski, Scott, St. Charles, St. Francois, Taney, Warren, Wayne and Worth did not respond to our request for information.

Officials from the following cities: Ashland, Belton, Bernie, Bonne Terre, Boonville, California, Cape Girardeau, Clayton, Dardenne Prairie, Excelsior Springs, Florissant, Frontenac, Fulton, Gladstone, Grandview, Harrisonville, Independence, Jefferson City, Joplin, Kearney, Knob Noster, Ladue, Lake Ozark, Lebanon, Lee Summit, Liberty, Louisiana, Maryland Heights, Maryville, Mexico, Monett, Neosho, O'Fallon, Pacific, Peculiar, Popular Bluff, Raytown, Republic, Richmond, Rolla, Sedalia, Springfield, St. Charles, St. Joseph, St. Louis, St. Robert, Sugar Creek, Sullivan, Warrensburg, Warrenton, Webb City, Weldon Spring and West Plains did not respond to our request for information.

Officials from the following school districts: Blue Springs, Branson, Charleston R-I, Cole R-I, Columbia, Fair Grove, Fulton, Harrison R-IX, Independence, Jefferson City, Johnson County R-7, Kansas City, Kirksville, Kirbyville R-V, Lee's Summit, Malden R-I, Malta Bend, Mexico, Monroe City R-I, Nixa, Parkway, Pattonville, Raymore-Peculiar R-III, Raytown, Riverview Gardens, Sedalia, Sikeston, Silex, Special School District of St. Louis County, Spickard, St Joseph, St Louis, St. Charles, Sullivan, Warren County R-III, and Waynesville did not respond to our request for information.

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Officials from the following colleges: Crowder, East Central Community College, Harris-Stowe, Jefferson College, Kansas City Metro Community College, Moberly Area Community College, Southeast Missouri State University, State Fair Community College, St. Charles Community College, St. Louis Community College, Three Rivers Community College, Truman State University the University of Missouri did not respond to our request for information.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2015 (10 Mo.)	FY 2016	FY 2017
GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
Cost - DOLIR Complaint review and hearings Section 290.146	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)	(Less than \$100,000)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND	(Less than <u>\$100,000)</u>	(Less than <u>\$100,000)</u>	(Less than <u>\$100,000)</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2015 (10 Mo.)	FY 2016	FY 2017
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

This proposal could have a direct impact to a small business which would be required to respond to a complaint.

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

This proposal would prohibit an employer from using a job applicant's personal credit history as a hiring criterion except where the credit history is shown to be directly related to the position sought by the applicant.

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

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of the Secretary of State Joint Committee on Administrative Rules Office of Administration Division of Personnel Department of Conservation Department of Labor and Industrial Relations Department of Transportation Lincoln University Linn State Technical College Missouri Southern Sate University Missouri State University Missouri Western Sate University Northwest Missouri State University University of Central Missouri City of Columbia City of Kansas City Francis Howell School District

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