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FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 1059-01
Bill No.: HB 908
Subject: Abortion; Health Care; Physicians
Type: Original
Date: February 24, 2017

Bill Summary: This proposal establishes the “Pain Capable Unborn Child Protection Act.”

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> 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 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0

☐ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$100,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS)** provided the response for the **Office of Administration (OA), Information Technology Services Division (ITSD)/DHSS**.

OA, ITSD provides that section 188.375.5 requires the DHSS to modify the abortion reporting form to expand information currently collected on abortion methods. This will require modification of the existing abortion data collection tools including a Microsoft Access database for data entry of paper forms, file layouts for electronic exchange and a mainframe database used for statistical reporting. OA, ITSD estimates a one-time cost of \$6,480 for these changes.

Oversight assumes the DHSS can absorb these minimal one-time charges within current funding levels

Officials from the **OA, Commissioner's Office/Alternatives to Abortion Program (AtoA)** state it is unknown how many women will be unable to afford additional tests to determine the probable gestational age of the fetus. However, the OA anticipates any costs associated with increased program participation will be absorbed with existing appropriations.

Officials from the **Office of Attorney General, the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, the Department of Corrections and the Department of Social Services, MO HealthNet Division and Division of Legal Services** each assume the proposal would not fiscally impact their respective agencies.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2018 (10 Mo.)	FY 2019	FY 2020
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2018 (10 Mo.)	FY 2019	FY 2020
	<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.

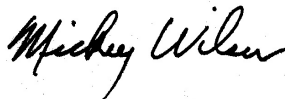
FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct 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 Attorney General
Department of Health and Senior Services
Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration
Department of Corrections
Department of Social Services -
 MO HealthNet Division
 Division of Legal Services
Office of Administration -
 Commissioner's Office/Alternatives to Abortion Program



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