

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 0254S.03A
Bill No.: SCS for HCS for HB 685 with SA1
Subject: Attorney General; Campaign Officials; County Officials; Public Officers;
Type: Original
Date: May 5, 2021

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies provisions relating to the duties and qualifications of certain public officers.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0

- ☐ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.
- ☐ Estimated Net Effect (savings or increased revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Oversight was unable to receive some of the agency responses in a timely manner due to the short fiscal note request time. Oversight has presented this fiscal note on the best current information that we have or on prior year information regarding a similar bill. Upon the receipt of agency responses, Oversight will review to determine if an updated fiscal note should be prepared and seek the necessary approval to publish a new fiscal note.

§§27.010, 51.050, 55.060, 58.030, 60.010, 77.230, 79.080, 105.035, 162.291, 190.050, 204.610, 247.060, 249.140, 321.130 & 483.010 – Duties and Qualifications of Certain Public Officers

In response to a previous version, officials from the **Office of the State Treasurer** assumed the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their organization. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for this agency.

In response to a previous version, officials from the **City of Bland**, the **City of Hughesville**, the **Jackson County Board of Elections**, the **Kansas City Board of Elections**, **Boone County** and the **Nodaway County Ambulance District** each assumed the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

In response to a previous version, officials from the **City of Southwest City** and the **City of Tipton** each assumed the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their organization. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note.

§50.166 – County Treasurer’s Access to Certain Documents

In response to similar legislation from this year (SS for SCS for SB 27), officials from **Jackson County** and the **Boone County Sheriff’s Department** each assumed the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their organizations. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

In response to a similar version from 2020, SCS for SB 576, officials at **St. Louis County** and the **Lawrence County Treasurer’s Office** each assumed no fiscal impact to their respective agencies from this proposal. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

§§59.021 & 59.100 – Bond requirements for county recorders of deeds

In response to similar legislation from this year, HB 509, officials from **Jackson County** and the **Mississippi County Recorder of Deeds Office** each assumed the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

In response to similar legislation from 2020, HB 2368, officials from the **Daviess County Recorder of Deeds Office** assumed no fiscal impact from this proposal. Daviess County's Recorder is already bonded for \$10,000.

§451.040 – Applying for a marriage license electronically

In response to similar legislation from this year (SS for SCS for SB 27), officials at **Jackson County** assumed a positive fiscal impact from this proposal. Staffing costs could be lowered.

In response to similar legislation from 2020, HCS for HB Nos. 1972 & 2366, officials from the **Mississippi County Recorder of Deeds Office** and the **Daviess County Recorder of Deeds Office** each assumed no fiscal impact to their respective entities from this proposal.

Oversight notes the legislation does not specifically address if a form will need to be created by the County Recorder of Deeds Office or if software may need to be purchased. Oversight assumes this proposal is permissive and action would only be taken by the County Recorder of Deeds Office if they have budgeted funds for this purpose and if it would benefit their county. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a \$0 fiscal note assuming any costs involved would be absorbed by the County Recorder of Deeds Office.

Responses regarding the proposed legislation as a whole

Officials from the **Office of the State Courts Administrator**, the **State Tax Commission**, the **Attorney General's Office**, the **Department of Commerce and Insurance**, the **Department of Health and Senior Services**, the **Department of Corrections**, the **Department of Revenue**, the **Missouri Ethics Commission**, the **Office of Administration**, the **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules** and the **Office of the Secretary of State** each assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

Officials from the **City of Claycomo**, the **City of Corder**, the **City of Kansas City**, the **City of O'Fallon**, the **City of Springfield**, the **City of St. Louis**, the **Platte County Board of Elections**, the **St. Louis City Board of Elections**, the **St. Louis County Board of Elections**, the **Crawford County 911 Board** and the **Pettis County Ambulance District** each assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations.

Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

Oversight only reflects the responses that we have received from state agencies and political subdivisions; however, other cities, counties, local election authorities, county recorders, county collectors, sheriff departments and ambulance districts were requested to respond to this proposed legislation but did not. A general listing of political subdivisions included in our database is available upon request.

Senate Amendment 1:

Oversight assumes Senate Amendment 1 would not fiscally impact the state or local political subdivisions.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT – State Government</u>	FY 2022 (10 Mo.)	FY 2023	FY 2024
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

<u>FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government</u>	FY 2022 (10 Mo.)	FY 2023	FY 2024
	<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

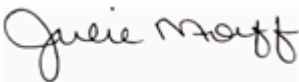
The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

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

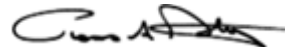
SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Kansas City Board of Elections
Office of the Secretary of State
Attorney General’s Office
Department of Revenue
Office of the State Treasurer

Office of the State Courts Administrator
State Tax Commission
City of Kansas City
City of O'Fallon
City of Southwest City
City of Springfield
City of St. Louis
City of Tipton
Jackson County Board of Elections
Platte County Board of Elections
St. Louis County Board of Elections
Crawford County 911 Board
Nodaway County Ambulance District
City of Bland
City of Claycomo
City of Corder
City of Hughesville
Boone County
Pettis County Ambulance District
Department of Commerce and Insurance
Mississippi County Recorder of Deeds Office
Daviess County Recorder of Deeds Office
Department of Health and Senior Services
Office of Administration
Joint Committee on Administrative Rules
Jackson County
Boone County Sheriff's Department
St. Louis County
Lawrence County Treasurer's Office
Department of Corrections
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