

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
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FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 0310H.02P
Bill No.: Perfected HCS for HB Nos. 145 & 59
Subject: Sunshine Law; Children and Minors
Type: Original
Date: March 27, 2025

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies provisions of the sunshine law.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
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 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
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 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

§610.021 – Sunshine Law

In response to a previous version, officials from the **Office of Attorney General (AGO)** assumed any potential litigation costs arising from this proposal can be absorbed with existing resources. The AGO may seek additional appropriations if the proposal results in a significant increase in litigation or investigation costs.

Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight assumes the AGO will be able to perform any additional duties required by this proposal with current staff and resources and will reflect no fiscal impact to the AGO for fiscal note purposes.

In response to the previous version, officials from the **Office of Administration - Administrative Hearing Commission, the Department of Commerce and Insurance, the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development, the Department of Mental Health, the Department of Natural Resources, the Department of Corrections, the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, the Department of Revenue, the Department of Public Safety (Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Control, Capitol Police, Fire Safety, Office of the Director, Missouri Highway Patrol, Missouri Gaming Commission, State Emergency Management Agency), the Department of Social Services, the Missouri Department of Transportation, the MoDOT & Patrol Employees' Retirement System, the Missouri Department of Conservation, the Office of the Secretary of State, the Office of the State Public Defender, the Office of the State Treasurer, the University of Missouri System, the City of Kansas City, the City of O'Fallon, the Office of the State Auditor, the Missouri House of Representatives, the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules, the Joint Committee on Education, the Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement, Legislative Research, the Oversight Division, the Missouri Lottery Commission, the Missouri Consolidated Health Care Plan, the Missouri State Employee's Retirement System, Office of Administration (Office of the Commissioner & Budget and Planning), the Department of Economic Development, the Department of Health and Senior Services, the Missouri Department of Agriculture, the Missouri Ethics Commission, the Missouri Veterans Commission, the Office of the Governor, the Missouri National Guard, the Petroleum Storage Tank Insurance Fund, the Missouri Senate, the Office of the State Courts Administrator and the State Tax Commission** 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.

In response to a previous version, officials from the **Missouri Office of Prosecution Services** assumed the proposal would 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 this agency.

In response to similar legislation from 2024, Perfected HCS for HB 1720, officials from the **Missouri Higher Education Loan Authority** 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.

House Amendment #1

Oversight assumes this amendment is adding clarifying language and will have no fiscal impact.

House Amendment #2

Oversight assumes this amendment is adding clarifying language and will have no fiscal impact.

House Amendment #3

Oversight assumes this amendment is adding clarifying language regarding records to protect specific locations of a plant or animal species and will have no fiscal impact.

Responses regarding the proposed legislation as a whole, as amended

Officials from the **Department of Revenue**, the **Department of Natural Resources**, the **Department of Corrections**, the **Department of Public Safety - Missouri Highway Patrol**, the **Department of Social Services**, the **Missouri House of Representatives** and the **State Tax Commission** 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 received from state agencies and political subdivisions; however, other cities, counties and local school districts were requested to respond to this proposed legislation but did not. A listing of political subdivisions included in the Missouri Legislative Information System (MOLIS) database is available upon request.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT – State Government</u>	FY 2026 (10 Mo.)	FY 2027	FY 2028
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

<u>FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government</u>	FY 2026 (10 Mo.)	FY 2027	FY 2028
	<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

Attorney General’s Office
 Office of Administration
 Administrative Hearing Commission
 Office of the Commissioner
 Budget and Planning
 Department of Commerce and Insurance
 Department of Economic Development
 Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
 Department of Health and Senior Services
 Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development
 Department of Mental Health
 Department of Natural Resources
 Department of Corrections
 Department of Labor and Industrial Relations
 Missouri Department of Agriculture
 Missouri Ethics Commission
 Department of Revenue
 Department of Public Safety
 Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Control
 Capitol Police
 Fire Safety
 Office of the Director
 Missouri Highway Patrol
 Missouri Gaming Commission
 Missouri Veterans Commission
 State Emergency Management Agency

Department of Social Services
Office of the Governor
Missouri Department of Transportation
MoDOT & Patrol Employees' Retirement System
Missouri Department of Conservation
Missouri National Guard
Petroleum Storage Tank Insurance Fund
Office of the Secretary of State
Office of the State Public Defender
Office of the State Treasurer
University of Missouri System
City of Kansas City
City of O'Fallon
Office of the State Auditor
Missouri House of Representatives
Joint Committee on Administrative Rules
Joint Committee on Education
Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement
Legislative Research
Oversight Division
Missouri Senate
Missouri Lottery Commission
Missouri Consolidated Health Care Plan
Office of the State Courts Administrator
Missouri Office of Prosecution Services
Missouri State Employee's Retirement System
State Tax Commission
Missouri Higher Education Loan Authority



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