

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **H.4126**

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TO: The Honorable W. Brian White, Chairperson, House Ways and Means Committee
FROM: State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board
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SUBJECT: Use of Third Party Providers

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:
See Below

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:
See Below

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 4126 amends the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, to require all state agencies to use a single third party original source compiler and publisher of unencumbered address data for purposes of validating and verifying state residents, households, and businesses. The Bill requires that each resident, household, and business must contain a unique and persistent identification number. The Chief Information Officer of the State Budget and Control Board, with the input of affected agencies, is directed to procure such a compiler and publisher in the manner required by the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The State Budget and Control Board indicates that a fiscal impact on this legislation is difficult to determine at this time. The Bill directs the Budget and Control Board, through the Division of Technology Operations, to procure an appropriate vendor to provide data compilation and publication of unencumbered address-data for the purposes of validating and verifying residents, households, and businesses within the State. The Board reports that actual cost would have to be determined by a negotiated contract through the State's procurement process.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:



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