

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **S. 509**

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TO: The Honorable Michael L. Fair, Chairperson, Senate Corrections and Penology Committee
FROM: State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board
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AUTHOR: Senator Thurmond PRIMARY CODE CITE: 24-13-425
SUBJECT: Electronic Monitoring Device

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Minimal (Some additional costs expected but can be absorbed)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

Senate Bill 509 amends the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 24-13-425 which makes it unlawful for anyone to knowingly and without authority remove, destroy, or circumvent the operation of an electronic monitoring device. The Bill also provides penalties for this offense.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

Department of Corrections

The Department indicates that this Bill will have a minimal impact on the General Fund of the State, which the agency can absorb at their current level of funding.

Other Agencies

The Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Service and the Department of Motor Vehicles indicate that there will be no fiscal impact to the General Fund of the State, nor on Federal and/or Other Funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:



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