



**SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**  
**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**  
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RFA Analyst(s): Fulmer

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**Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

|                                  | <b>FY 2015-16</b> | <b>FY 2016-17</b> |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>State Expenditure</b>         |                   |                   |
| General Fund                     | Minimal           | N/A               |
| Other and Federal                | \$0               | N/A               |
| Full-Time Equivalent Position(s) | 0.00              | 0.00              |
| <b>State Revenue</b>             |                   |                   |
| General Fund                     | N/A               | N/A               |
| Other and Federal                | N/A               | N/A               |
| <b>Local Expenditure</b>         | N/A               | N/A               |
| <b>Local Revenue</b>             | N/A               | N/A               |

**Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill would have a minimal expenditure impact on the General Fund. There is no impact to Federal Funds or Other Funds.

**Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

**State Expenditure**

This bill amends Section 8-13-1120 to include additional information on the Statement of Economic Interest. The statement must include a listing of the private source and type of any income received in the previous year filer or a member of his immediate family from a direct contractual or employment relationship.

The State Ethics Commission indicates that this bill would require changes to the electronic filing system. The expenditure impact would be minimal and can be absorbed within current resources.

**State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure and Revenue**

N/A

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