



**SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**  
**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**  
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Bill Number: H. 3189 As amended by the House of Representatives on February 12, 2015  
 Author: Finlay  
 Requestor: Senate Judiciary  
 Date: May 13, 2015  
 Subject: Filing of expenditure and reports for non-committees  
 RFA Analyst(s): Fulmer

**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 adds Section 8-13-1313 which requires a person who is not a committee and who makes an independent expenditure in the aggregate amount or value in excess of five hundred dollars or makes an electioneering communication must file a report of the expenditure or communication with the State Ethics Commission. This bill amends Section 8-13-1300 to define "electioneering communication."

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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 Frank A. Rainwater, Executive Director