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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number: H. 4413 As amended by Senate Judiciary on May 11, 2016
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Subject: Posting notice that a location is a Safe Haven
Requestor: Senate
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Estimate of Fiscal Impact

	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19
State Expenditure			
General Fund	\$0	\$95,340	\$6,000
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00	0.00
State Revenue			
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill as amended would have a nonrecurring expenditure impact of \$95,340 in FY 2017-18 and a recurring General Fund expenditure impact of \$6,000 in FY 2018-19 and every year thereafter.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Explanation of Amendment by the Senate Judiciary Committee on May 11, 2016

State Expenditure

This bill as amended would require locations that serve as safe havens to post a notice stating that the location is a safe haven where a person may leave an infant. An infant is defined as a person not more than sixty days old. A safe haven is determined to be a hospital, law enforcement agency, a fire station, an emergency medical services station, or any staffed house of worship during hours when the facility is staffed.

The Department of Social Services estimates there are 9,534 safe havens that would require notices. The department estimates a cost of \$10 per location for a nonrecurring expenditure General Fund impact of \$95,340 for FY 2017-18. The department indicates a recurring General Fund expenditure impact of \$6,000 in order to maintain a recurring stock for FY2018-19 and every year thereafter.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A



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