



**SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**

**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**

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Bill Number: S. 0146  
 Author: Scott  
 Requestor: Senate Labor, Commerce, and Industry  
 Date: May 7, 2015  
 Subject: Election referendum regarding minimum wage  
 RFA Analyst(s): Fulmer and Shealy

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**Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

	<b>FY 2015-16</b>	<b>FY 2016-17</b>
<b>State Expenditure</b>		
General Fund	\$ 0	Minimal
Other and Federal	\$ 0	\$ 0
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 require minimal additional expenditures that could be absorbed within current election funds in FY 2016-17. There would be no Federal Funds or Other Funds expenditures.

**Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

**State Expenditure**

This bill would provide for a statewide advisory referendum to be held at the same time as the 2016 general election to determine whether or not the qualified electors of this state favor requiring payment of a minimum hourly wage rate of one dollar above the federal minimum wage to employees for all hours worked in this state. This bill would require minimal additional expenditures that could be absorbed within current election funds in FY 2016-17. There would be no Federal Funds or Other Funds expenditures.

**State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure**

N/A

**Local Revenue**

N/A

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