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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number: S. 0338 As signed by the Governor on June 3, 2016
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Subject: Prisoners
Requestor: Senate
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Impact Date: July 7, 2016

Estimate of Fiscal Impact

	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	Undetermined	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Impact Summary

The bill as amended will have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds. The expenditure impact on local governments is undetermined.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Explanation of Amendment by the House of Representatives on May 4, 2016

State Expenditure

The bill as amended requires an entity engaged in helping rehabilitate and reintroduce paroled prison inmates into the community to publish notice of a public hearing in a newspaper at least sixty days, instead of thirty days, prior to holding the hearing. Additionally, a public hearing must be conducted by the entity at least thirty days, instead of sixty days, before the facility opens. The expenditure impact of the bill as amended is unchanged from the bill as filed on January 25, 2015.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

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Local Revenue

N/A

Explanation of Bill as Filed on January 25, 2015**State Expenditure**

This bill adds Section 24-13-180, which provides that any public, private, or nonprofit entity that is engaged in helping rehabilitate and reintroduce paroled prison inmates into the community and is a part of a program that provides residential housing to these parolees must provide notice in the community of the addresses where the residential housing facilities will be located.

Additionally, a public hearing must be conducted regarding the program and the location of the residential housing facilities.

Department of Probation, Parole, and Pardon. The agency indicates this bill will have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

The Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office contacted the Municipal Association of South Carolina and twenty-three county governments regarding the impact of this bill. The Municipal Association reports this bill will have no expenditure impact on municipal governments. Our office received no responses from the surveyed counties. Therefore, the expenditure impact on county governments is undetermined.

Local Revenue

N/A



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