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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number: S. 1087
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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	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

State Expenditure

This bill provides factors for the Family Court to consider when determining the existence of changed circumstances related to modification, confirmation, or termination of alimony. The bill also creates a rebuttable presumption that alimony terminates upon the supporting spouse attaining full retirement age. Finally, the bill requires the court to consider the payment of alimony for a period that exceeds the duration of marriage constitutes sufficient grounds for the court to modify, terminate, or establish a fixed duration of time for any further payment obligation.

The Judicial Department reports that this bill would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure and Revenue

N/A

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