# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

#### **FISCAL NOTE**

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 5335-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: SB 1269

Subject: Bond-Bail; Criminal Procedure; Immigration

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: March 4, 2008

Bill Summary: The proposal prohibits illegal aliens from being released pending trial,

appeal, or any other proceeding.

# **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue				
Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0	

- □ Estimated Total Net Effect on All funds expected to exceed \$100,000 savings or (cost).
- □ Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund expected to exceed \$100,000 (cost).

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	
<b>Local Government</b>	(More than \$100,000)	(More than \$100,000)	(More than \$100,000)	

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#### FISCAL ANALYSIS

#### **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Office of State Courts Administrator** assume the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on the courts.

Officials from the **Boone County Sheriff's Department** assume they would incur costs of \$62.50 per day per suspected illegal alien in custody, that must remain in custody until their status in the US is verified. If the person is illegally in the US, Boone County Sheriff's Department would incur costs of \$62.50 per day until the case is adjudicated. Officials assume the cost of this legislation on sheriff's departments with jails could be substantial.

Officials from the **St. Louis County Department of Justice Services** assume they are unable to determine if the US Immigration authorities would reimburse any costs to local jails for persons found to be illegal. Officials state the inmate per diem costs in St. Louis County are approximately \$80. Officials assume an indeterminate number of suspected illegal persons that would be held and an indeterminate number of days held. Officials state 20 persons incarcerated per week, or 80 per month, held for just one day would cost approximately \$80,000 annually for the incarceration. Costs would be approximately \$160,000 if the person was held for two days. Officials state additional significant costs would be incurred for overtime if jail overcrowded conditions result or if local jails need to contract for more bed space.

**Oversight** assumes local law enforcement agencies would incur increased costs for holding the suspected illegal aliens in custody. Based on information received from local law enforcement agencies, Oversight assumes the cost could exceed \$100,000 per fiscal year.

Officials from the Buchanan County Sheriff's Department, Clark County Sheriff's Department, Greene County Sheriff's Department, and the Platte County Sheriff's Department did not respond to Oversight's request for fiscal impact.

	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2009 (10 Mo.)	FY 2010	FY 2011

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POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS	(More than \$100,000)	(More than \$100,000)	(More than \$100,000)
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON			
<u>Costs</u> – Local Law Enforcement Agencies Detention costs	(More than \$100,000)	(More than \$100,000)	(More than \$100,000)
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS	(10 1010.)		
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2009 (10 Mo.)	FY 2010	FY 2011

### FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

#### FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation prohibits illegal aliens from being released pending trial, appeal, or any other proceeding.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

# **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

Office of State Courts Administrator Boone County Sheriff's Department St. Louis County Department of Justice Services L.R. No. 5335-01 Bill No. SB 1269 Page 5 of 5 March 4, 2008

# **NOT RESPONDING**

Buchanan County Sheriff's Department Clark County Sheriff's Department Greene County Sheriff's Department Platte County Sheriff's Department

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