

FISCAL NOTE

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Bill / Resolution No.: SB 2170

Amendment to: _____

Requested by Legislative Council

Date of Request: 01/04/99

- Please estimate the fiscal impact (in dollar amounts) of the above measure for state general or special funds, counties, cities, and school districts.

Narrative:

In cases where there is past due child support, this bill would allow the child support enforcement agency to secure assets of an obligor to satisfy current support obligations. It is unknown how many of the 938 cases with orders that are not under income withholding, would have assets secured to satisfy these obligations. Since the amounts that could be secured are also unknown, we are unable to determine the fiscal impact to the agency. Failure to pass this bill may result in loss of federal funding due to non-compliance with federal regulations. This bill also would eliminate mandatory reviews of Medicaid cases, eliminate the requirement to apply for an order compelling the obligor to furnish information, and would allow income withholding orders to be served by first class mail, all of which would result in cost savings to the counties.

- State fiscal effect in dollar amounts:

	1997-1999		1999-2001		2001-2003	
	<u>Biennium</u>		<u>Biennium</u>		<u>Biennium</u>	
	<u>General</u>	<u>Special</u>	<u>General</u>	<u>Special</u>	<u>General</u>	<u>Special</u>
	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>
Revenues:			unknown		unknown	
Expenditures:	-0-		-0-		-0-	

- What, if any, is the effect of this measure on the appropriation for your agency or department:

- For rest of 1997-99 biennium: -0-
- For the 1999-01 biennium: -0-
- For the 2001-03 biennium: -0-

- County, City, and School District fiscal effect in dollar amounts:

	1997-1999			1999-2001			2001-2003		
	<u>Biennium</u>			<u>Biennium</u>			<u>Biennium</u>		
	<u>Counties</u>	<u>Cities</u>	<u>School Districts</u>	<u>Counties</u>	<u>Cities</u>	<u>School Districts</u>	<u>Counties</u>	<u>Cities</u>	<u>School Districts</u>
Expenditures	-0-			(112,518)			(114,853)		

If additional space is needed, attach a supplemental sheet.

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