

FISCAL NOTE
LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)				
	FY 2013-14		FY 2014-15	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

Any Fiscal Notes received from state agencies and political subdivisions are attached following the Legislative Fiscal Analyst Estimate.

This bill authorizes kinship homes as a type of placement for children in out-of-home care; broadens the definition of relative home; provides for variances equivalent to the established standards in the terms and condition for licensure of relative homes; exempts kinship and relative homes from licensure, but requires the homes be approved by the Department of Health and Human Services which shall include, but not be limited to a home visit, and criminal background checks; provides for a waiver of any licensing standard not related to children’s safety for relative homes who pursue licensing and declares that relative homes that receive such waiver are considered fully licensed for purposes of meeting federal requirements for reimbursement under the federal Fostering Connections to Success and Increasing adoptions Act of 2008.

Under this bill, relative homes and kinship homes would not be required to be licensed but would still be required to meet certain standards and receive approval from the Department of Health and Human Services. There is not fiscal impact.

ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

State Agency or Political Subdivision Name:(2) Department of Health and Human Services

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	FY 2013-2014		FY 2014-2015	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Return by date specified or 72 hours prior to public hearing, whichever is earlier.

Explanation of Estimate:

There is no fiscal impact to the Department of Health and Human Services.

MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE

PERSONAL SERVICES:	POSITION TITLE	NUMBER OF POSITIONS		2013-2014	2014-2015
		13-14	14-15	EXPENDITURES	EXPENDITURES
Benefits.....					
Operating.....					
Travel.....					
Capital Outlay.....					
Aid.....					
Capital Improvements.....					
TOTAL.....				\$0	\$0