



FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 14

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Senate Bill 14 as introduced exempts the payment of court costs and fees for the filing of a motion for contempt by a party seeking enforcement of a previously entered protection order. This could reduce revenues to the various funds that court costs and fees are deposited into, by an undetermined amount, depending on the number of motions for contempt that are filed. However, this reduction in revenues could be off-set, in whole or in part, by an undetermined amount dependent upon the courts discretion to assess the court costs and fees against the defendant.