



FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 473

Committee: Children and Youth Health

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House Bill 473 as passed the House of Representatives would increase the administrative obligations of (1) the respective local law enforcement agencies to investigate, if an infant surrendered pursuant to this bill, is a child reported as missing in this state or in another state; and (2) the Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) to adopt rules relating to the installation, maintenance, and monitoring of baby safety devices.

Further, this bill would allow certain emergency medical services providers to install and maintain baby safety devices, and respective signage, if a specific donation by a private party or legislative appropriation is made for this purpose. ADPH estimates the cost of a baby safety device to be \$10,000.