



**FISCAL NOTE**

**Senate Bill 69**

Committee: Ways and Means General Fund

Sponsor: Senator Greg Albritton

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**Senate Bill 69** as passed the Senate would appropriate the sum of \$39,531,128 from the Children First Trust Fund (CFTF) for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025 as follows:

<b>Agency</b>	<b>FY 2025 Appropriation (\$)</b>
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board	426,500
Children's Trust Fund	2,415,288
Department of Forensic Sciences	494,309
Alabama Department of Human Resources	10,295,965
Juvenile Probation Services Fund	4,646,647
Alabama Medicaid Agency	1,643,289
Alabama Department of Mental Health	2,142,457
State Multiple Needs Children's Fund	4,358,550
Department of Public Health	4,754,042
Department of Rehabilitation Services	246,763
Department of Youth Services	8,107,318
<b>Total Appropriation</b>	<b>39,531,128</b>

This bill also provides that these funds would be conditioned upon receipt of tobacco revenues, and any remaining sums at the end of the fiscal year would remain in the CFTF and not revert to the State General Fund (SGF) or to any other fund. This bill would also transfer approximately \$11,100,000 in CFTF monies allocated to the State Board of Education to the SGF for FY 2025.

In addition to the above appropriation, this bill would also appropriate \$49,596,888 from additional tobacco settlement funds for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025 to the following entities:

<b>Agency</b>	<b>FY 2024 Appropriation (\$)</b>
Department of Early Childhood Education	151,730
21st Century Debt Service	16,000,000
Senior Services Trust Fund	1,348,715
Alabama Medicaid Agency	30,103,496



Department of Senior Services - Medicaid Waiver	1,992,947
<b>Total Appropriation</b>	<b>49,596,888</b>

This bill would also require that (1) any additional tobacco revenues available for FY 2025 be conditionally appropriated, conditioned upon the recommendation of the Finance Director, the Chairs of the House Ways and Means General Fund and Senate Finance and Taxation General Fund Committees and the approval of the Governor; and (2) notification be provided to legislators representing an area where a grant from the CFTF is to be awarded ten days before the funds reach the recipient agency.