



FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 414

Committee: Judiciary

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House Bill 414 as introduced could decrease potential receipts to the Game and Fish Fund by an undetermined amount dependent upon the amount of court costs, not to exceed \$7 per court case, and fines, not less than \$2,500 for each violation, that would otherwise be collected and deposited into the fund under current law upon conviction of transporting feral swine. According to DCNR, there have been 18 convictions for this offense since 2015.

This bill could also decrease potential receipts to the State General Fund, county general funds, municipal general funds, and other funds to which court costs are deposited; and could decrease the potential obligations of the State General Fund, district attorneys, and local jails by an undetermined amount dependent upon the number of persons that would otherwise be charged with and convicted of transporting feral swine.