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Bill Number: H. 3578 Author: Gilliard

Requestor: House Medical, Military, Public, and Municipal Affairs

Date: March 2, 2015 Subject: Homeless and needy

RFA Analyst(s): Wren

Estimate of Fiscal Impact

| | FY 2015-16 | FY 2016-17 |
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| State Expenditure | | |
| General Fund | N/A | N/A |
| Other and Federal | N/A | N/A |
| Full-Time Equivalent Position(s) | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| State Revenue | | |
| General Fund | N/A | N/A |
| Other and Federal | N/A | N/A |
| Local Expenditure | \$65,000 | N/A |
| Local Revenue | N/A | N/A |

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill is expected to have an expenditure impact of approximately \$65,000 on county governments.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

State Expenditure

N/A

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

This bill adds Section 4-1-195, which requires counties to publish and distribute a document that identifies locations where a homeless and needy person can go to receive shelter, health care, food, and other assistance.

The Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office contacted twelve county governments regarding the expenditure impact of this bill and received responses from Florence and Richland Counties. Florence County reports an expenditure of \$1,950 in FY 2015-16, which consists of \$200 to create a form and \$1,750 to copy forms for the estimated 7,000 homeless population in Florence County. Richland County indicates that any costs associated with this bill can be absorbed by the county. Based on the responses received and prorating for a statewide county population

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figure, we estimate an expenditure impact of approximately \$65,000 in FY 2015-16 for county governments.

Local Revenue

N/A

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