

# SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT (803)734-0640 • RFA.SC.GOV/IMPACTS

Bill Number:	H. 4006 Introduced on March 15, 2017		
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Subject:	SNAP Waiver		
Requestor:	House Ways and Means		
RFA Analyst(s):	Shuford		
Impact Date:	March 7, 2018		

### **Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

#### **Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill will have no expenditure or revenue impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds as the Department of Social Services indicates that they are not seeking nor do they have any current waivers related to mandatory work requirements for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.

## **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

#### Introduced on March 15, 2017 State Expenditure

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) limits the time period an able-bodied adult without dependents (ABAWD) may receive benefits to 3 months in a 36-month period. To remain eligible beyond the time limit, an ABAWD must work at least 80 hours per month, participate in qualifying education and training activities at least 80 hours per month, or comply with a workfare program. Workfare means that ABAWDs can do unpaid work through a special state-approved program. States may request to waive the ABAWD time limit in areas with an unemployment rate above 10 percent or a lack of sufficient jobs. SNAP regulations provide a number of ways States can demonstrate an unemployment rate above 10 percent or a lack of sufficient jobs.

The Department of Social Services indicates that they are not seeking nor do they have any current waivers related to mandatory work requirements. Therefore, this bill will have no expenditure or revenue impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds.

**State Revenue** N/A

**Local Expenditure** N/A

**Local Revenue** N/A

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