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**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.:      2723-01
Bill No.:      SB 827
Subject:       Judges; Civil Procedure; Courts
Type:          Original
Date:          December 12, 2003

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2005 | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
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| **Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund** | **$0** | **$0** | **$0** |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2005 | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| **Total Estimated Net Effect on All State Funds** | **$0** | **$0** | **$0** |

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.
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| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2005 | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
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| **Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds** | **$0** | **$0** | **$0** |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2005 | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
| **Local Government** | **$0** | **$0** | **$0** |

# FISCAL ANALYSIS

<u>ASSUMPTION</u>

Officials from the **Office of State Courts Administrator** assume the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on the courts.

| <u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u> | FY 2005<br>(10 Mo.) | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **<u>$0</u>** | **<u>$0</u>** | **<u>$0</u>** |

| <u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u> | FY 2005<br>(10 Mo.) | FY 2006 | FY 2007 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **<u>$0</u>** | **<u>$0</u>** | **<u>$0</u>** |

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FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.
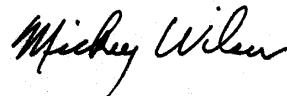

DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation would provide that a court of appeals may permit an appeal from an order granting or denying class action certification. Any such appeal would not stay proceeding in circuit court unless the circuit judge or court of appeals so orders.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.


SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of State Courts Administrator

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