

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 0642-01  
Bill No.: SB 180  
Subject: State policy to recognize marriage only between a male and a female.  
Type: Original  
Date: January 22, 2001

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**FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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## FISCAL ANALYSIS

### ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Mental Health, Department of Insurance, Office of the State Courts Administrator, Department of Health, and Department of Social Services** stated the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on their organizations.

Officials from the **Attorney General's Office (AGO)** did not respond to our request for a fiscal impact statement. However, in response to a similar proposal, SB 744 (2000), officials from the AGO responded that the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on their organization.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2002 (10 Mo.)	FY 2003	FY 2004
	\$0	\$0	\$0
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2002 (10 Mo.)	FY 2003	FY 2004
	\$0	\$0	\$0

### FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

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

### DESCRIPTION

This proposal declares it to be the public policy of Missouri to recognize marriage only between a man and a woman. Any purported marriage not between a man and a woman is invalid. No recorder shall issue a marriage license, except to a man and a woman and a marriage between persons of the same sex will not be recognized as valid for any purpose in Missouri even when valid where contracted.

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

HW-C:LR:OD (12/00)

Department of Social Services  
Office of State Courts Administrator  
Department of Insurance  
Department of Mental Health  
Department of Health

**NOT RESPONDING: Attorney General's Office**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeanne Jarrett". The signature is stylized with a large initial "J" and a cursive "e" at the end.

Jeanne Jarrett, CPA  
Director

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