

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

**Bill Number:** S. 0929 Campbell Author:

Right to try investigational drugs Subject:

Senate Medical Affairs Requestor:

RFA Analyst(s): Stein

Impact Date: January 12, 2016

**Estimate of Fiscal Impact** 

	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
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 would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

## **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

### **State Expenditure**

This bill amends Title 44 of the Code by adding Chapter 137, the Right to Try Act. The bill authorizes a terminally ill patient under a physician's care, at his own expense, to try investigational drugs in treating his illness. The bill defines eligible patient and terminal illness. The bill limits liability for drug manufacturers, physicians, and the patient's heirs.

The Department of Health and Environmental Control reports that this bill would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

#### **State Revenue**

N/A

## **Local Expenditure**

N/A

#### **Local Revenue**

N/A

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