

## SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT

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**Bill Number:** S. 0105 Introduced on January 14, 2025

Subject: Convention of the States

Requestor: Senate Judiciary

RFA Analyst(s): Wren

Impact Date: January 30, 2025

## **Fiscal Impact Summary**

This concurrent resolution allows the General Assembly to request that the Congress of the United States call a convention of the states with the purpose of proposing an amendment to the United States Constitution related to setting limits on the number of terms a person may be elected to the United States House of Representatives or Senate.

This concurrent resolution is not expected to have an expenditure impact on the Senate or the House of Representatives since we anticipate that any responsibilities can be managed within the normal course of business for both legislative bodies.

## **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

## **Introduced on January 14, 2025 State Expenditure**

This concurrent resolution allows the General Assembly to request that the Congress of the United States call a convention of the states with the purpose of proposing an amendment to the United States Constitution related to setting limits on the number of terms a person may be elected to the United States House of Representatives or Senate. Further, this concurrent resolution allows the General Assembly to insist that the convention be solely limited to consideration of the subject matter in this resolution and that the United States Congress enact a severe criminal penalty for any persons who violate the scope of the call.

We anticipate that this concurrent resolution can be managed within the normal course of business for the Senate and the House of Representatives. Therefore, this concurrent resolution is not expected to have an expenditure impact on either legislative body.

**State Revenue** 

N/A

**Local Expenditure and Local Revenue** 

N/A

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