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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6250

BILL NUMBER: SB 17

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 23, 2007

BILL AMENDED: Jan 18, 2007

SUBJECT: Child Custody and Support Advisory Committee.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Steele

FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. Kuzman

BILL STATUS: As Passed Senate

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill adds the Director of the Child Support Bureau of the Department of Child Services and a person designated by the Prosecuting Attorneys Council as members of the Indiana Child Custody and Support Advisory Committee, and permits a Commissioner to serve on the Committee.

Effective Date: (Amended) Upon Passage.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) This bill adds two members to the Child Custody and Support Advisory Committee: the Director of the Child Support Bureau and a person designated by the Prosecuting Attorneys Council. Legislative Council resolutions in the past have established budgets for interim study committees in the amount of \$9,500 per interim for committees with fewer than 16 members. Thus, the budget of the Committee would not change under the bill. Additional expenditures could be spent within the Committee's budget should the two members receive reimbursement for travel expenses or other expenses actually incurred in connection with the members' duties. Reimbursement for these expenses to Committee members who are not state employees is set in statute.

Background Information: The Committee currently consists of 12 members and spent approximately \$1,000 during the 2006 interim.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Legislative Services Agency.

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