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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6638**  
**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1063

**NOTE PREPARED:** Feb 12, 2009  
**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Youth Shelters.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Avery  
**FIRST SPONSOR:** Sen. C. Lawson

**BILL STATUS:** As Passed House

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**  **GENERAL**  
 **DEDICATED**  
 **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** No Fiscal Impact

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill provides that an emergency shelter, a shelter care facility, or a program that provides services to homeless or low-income individuals may provide shelter and certain other related services or items to a child without the permission of the child's parent, guardian, or custodian. The bill also provides immunity from civil liability for a youth shelter and its director, employees, agents, and volunteers for any act or omission related to admitting, caring for, or releasing a runaway or homeless youth.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2009.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**

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