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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6806**

**BILL NUMBER:** SB 356

**NOTE PREPARED:** Mar 23, 2009

**BILL AMENDED:** Mar 23, 2009

**SUBJECT:** Military Family Leave.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Delph

**FIRST SPONSOR:** Rep. Tyler

**BILL STATUS:** CR Adopted - 2<sup>nd</sup> House

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**  GENERAL  
 DEDICATED  
 FEDERAL

**IMPACT:** State & Local

**Summary of Legislation:** (Amended) This bill adds a biological child, an adopted child, a foster child, or a stepchild of a person who is ordered to active duty as eligible for military family leave. It makes conforming changes to definitions of grandparent, parent, and sibling, for purposes of military family leave.

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

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** (Revised) The number of additional military family leaves that might be granted due to the changes in definitions and eligibility is unknown but is probably minor.

According to the Census Bureau, about 3.0% of Indiana residents in 2000 were adopted, foster children, or step children.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** See *Explanation of State Expenditures*.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** All.

**Local Agencies Affected:** All.

**Information Sources:**

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