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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6815

BILL NUMBER: SB 540

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 14, 2009

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Consumer commodities.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Simpson

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: ___ **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: Pending

Summary of Legislation: *Regulation of Certain Toys.* This bill requires the Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) to regulate toys containing toxic materials. It requires that a consumer commodity must display a label that indicates (1) the country where the commodity was manufactured, grown, or processed; and (2) the presence of any toxic material in the commodity.

Indiana Economic Development Corporation. The bill authorizes the Indiana Economic Development Corporation to adopt administrative rules to implement the statute.

Violations. It provides that knowing or intentional violations of the statute or rules adopted under the statute are deceptive acts that may be remedied by the Attorney General as deceptive acts under Indiana law.

Effective Date: July 1, 2009.

Explanation of State Expenditures: *As of the above date, the fiscal analysis of this bill has not been completed. Please contact the Office of Fiscal and Management Analysis for an update of this fiscal impact statement.*

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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