

Department of Fiscal Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 437 (Senator Green)
Judicial Proceedings

Prince George's County - Abandoned Vehicles - Notice to Secured Parties

This bill provides that when a police department in Prince George's County takes an abandoned vehicle into custody, it only needs to send notice to the secured parties if the vehicle is less than 10 years old. Current law requires that notice be sent to secured parties regardless of the vehicle's age.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Potential minimal decrease in Prince George's County expenditures. No effect on revenues.

Fiscal Analysis

Local Expenditures: Prince George's County expenditures could decrease to the extent that expenditures for the preparation and posting of certified mail are decreased. The amount of any such decrease cannot be reliably estimated at this time but is assumed to be minimal.

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