## **Department of Fiscal Services**

Maryland General Assembly

## **FISCAL NOTE**

Senate Bill 439 (Senator Green) Judicial Proceedings

## State Prosecutor - Witness Immunity - Compulsory Testimony

This bill adds the State Prosecutor to the list of prosecutors that may compel a witness to testify in a court proceeding.

## **Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. The number of new cases that could be generated is small enough that any increased workload could be absorbed within the State Prosecutor's existing budgeted resources.

Local Effect: None.

**Information Source(s):** Judiciary (Administrative Office of the Courts), Office of the State Prosecutor, Department of Fiscal Services

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