

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 265 (Senator Miller)

Judicial Proceedings

Family Law - Child Support - Secondary Education

This bill provides that a child support order for a child enrolled in secondary school continues until the first of the following events occurs: (1) the child graduates from or is no longer enrolled in a secondary school or vocational program; or (2) the child reaches age 20. The bill does not prohibit a court from modifying a child support order. It applies only to cases to establish or modify child support orders filed on or after its effective date and is not to be considered a material change of circumstances for purposes of modifying a child support order issued before its effective date.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The bill would not directly affect State governmental operations or finances.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: None.

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