

Department of Legislative Services  
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

Revised

House Bill 736 (St. Mary's County Delegation)

Judiciary

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St. Mary's County - State's Attorney - Investigators

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This emergency bill provides that investigators in the St. Mary's County State's Attorney's Office are included in the St. Mary's County merit system. Currently, there is one investigator who serves at the pleasure of the State's Attorney.

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Fiscal Summary

**State Effect:** None.

**Local Effect:** Adding investigators of the State's Attorney's Office to the St. Mary's County merit system could affect future labor costs for such employees. The magnitude and direction of any such potential impact on costs cannot be reliably estimated at this time, but is assumed to be minimal. For example, investigators would now be eligible for medical, retirement, vacation, and sick leave benefits.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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