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BILL ANALYSIS

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Senate Bill 567 (Substitute S-1 as reported) Sponsor: Senator Mike Rogers Committee: Families, Mental Health and Human Services

CONTENT

The bill would amend the juvenile code to make revisions consistent with Senate Bill 566, which would amend the Sex Offenders Registration Act. The bill would take effect on September 1, 1999, and is tie-barred to Senate Bill 566.

The bill would include reference to fingerprinting requirements of the Sex Offenders Registration Act in a provision of the juvenile code that prohibits the family division of circuit court (family court) from ordering a juvenile disposition or issuing a judgment of sentence for a conviction of a juvenile tried as an adult, until the court has determined that the juvenile's fingerprints have been taken and forwarded to the Department of State Police. The bill also provides that, if a juvenile were under the jurisdiction of the family court for an offense other than one specifically listed in the Sex Offenders Registration Act, the court would have to determine if the offense was a violation that, by its nature, constituted a sexual offense against a person under 18 years of age. If so, the order of disposition would be considered to be for a listed offense under the Sex Offenders Registration Act. The court would have to include the basis for that determination on the record and include the determination in the order of disposition.

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FISCAL IMPACT

Senate Bills 567 through 570 would have a minimal fiscal impact on State departments and local law enforcement agencies. The bills would require some minor additional costs for departments and agencies that already assume similar duties under the Sex Offenders Registration Act. These costs would include clerical and information programming costs.

The bills also feature requirements that are mandated by the Federal Jacob Wetterling Act, that, if not placed in State law, could result in a 10% reduction to the State of Federal grant funding under the Edward Byrne Memorial State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance Program. Failure to enact the Federal mandates in these bills could result in a loss of \$1.6 million in Federal funds to State and local agencies.

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