

# Fiscal Analysis

## CHILD SUPPORT ASSIGNED TO FIA



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**Bill/Sponsor**                    **HOUSE BILL 4769 AS INTRODUCED, Rep. Virgil Smith**

**House Committee**            Judiciary

### **Analysis**

#### **Summary**

This bill would amend The Social Welfare Act, PA 280 of 1939, to assign all rights to child support payable on behalf of a child committed to or under the supervision of the Family Independence Agency (FIA), to FIA. The assignment would cease when the department ceases making foster care maintenance payments on behalf of the child, except for past due support. The maximum amount the department could retain shall not exceed the amount of foster care maintenance payments made from state or federal money, or both.

#### **Fiscal Impact**

This bill could help to partially defray state and federal foster care maintenance payments. No significant fiscal impact is expected on FIA.

### **Analyst(s)**

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