# *Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement*

*122 nd General Assembly of Ohio*

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| BILL: | **S.B. 107** | DATE: | **September 8, 1997** |
| STATUS: | **As Passed by the Senate** | SPONSOR: | **Sen. Blessing** |

LOCAL IMPACT STATEMENT REQUIRED: **No — No local cost**

CONTENTS: **Eliminates the mechanism for vacating the sentence of death imposed upon an offender under 18 and revises the mechanism for suspending execution of a pregnant or insane offender.**

## *State Fiscal Highlights*

- No direct fiscal effect on the state.

## *Local Fiscal Highlights*

- No direct fiscal effect on local governments.

## *Detailed Fiscal Analysis*

The bill eliminates the mechanism for vacating the sentence of death imposed on an offender under 18, and revises the procedures that govern the suspension of execution for pregnant or insane offenders.

The bill has no apparent direct fiscal effect on the state or local governments, as these provisions do not necessarily alter the incidence of death penalty appeals. In addition it is difficult to predict the outcome that these provisions will have on individual cases.

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