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## HOUSE FISCAL AGENCY

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HB5009 AS REPORTED WITH AMENDMENT(S)

**Sponsor:** Rep. Mary Ann Middaugh

**Committee:** FAMILY AND CHILDREN  
SERVICES

**Analyst(s):** Peterson, Marilyn

**Completed:** 10/24/01

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### State Fiscal Impact

**Cost:** None  
**Revenues:** None

### Local Fiscal Impact

**Cost:** None  
**Revenues:** Indeterminate/Increase

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Under the Child Protection Law, someone who fails to report suspected child abuse or neglect as required by the act is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by up to 93 days in jail, a fine of up to \$100, or both. The bill would increase the maximum fine to \$500, thus potentially increasing the amount of penal fine revenue going to local libraries, though not to any significant degree.