## Fiscal Analysis FOSTER CARE YOUTH FOCUS GROUPS



Bill/Sponsor HOUSE BILL 5183 AS INTRODUCED, Rep. John E. Stahl

**House Committee** Family and Children Services

**Analysis** Summary

HB 5183 would amend the Social Welfare Act by requiring the Family Independence Agency (FIA) to establish and administer a state plan for foster care independence programs and requiring the state plan to include programs that support and implement foster care youth focus groups. The youth focus

groups would provide input into foster care policy.

**Fiscal Impact** 

It appears that the legislation would have no fiscal impact. FIA has established a plan and is currently conducting youth focus groups to gather input on independent living services.

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