

Part III: Fiscal Explanation, Bill Provisions, and Estimated Cost

The fiscal impact on local governments is indeterminate and could range from minimal to moderate. As an “information holder” local governments may now be enjoined in civil actions by persons injured by a local government’s failure to comply with investigation and notification procedures relating to security breaches. As stated in Section II, this now includes user names, e-mail addresses, and security questions and answers.

The above could involve costs associated with insurance, with possible civil litigation, and with the indeterminate time and effort required to adjust security procedures in conformity with provisions of SB 59.

Data Source(s): Kentucky Association of Counties; Kentucky League of Cities; Kentucky County Clerks Association

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