Local Government Mandate Statement
Kentucky Legislative Research Commission
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Part I: Measure Information

Bill Request #: 1339

Bill #: SB 304

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Bill Title: AN ACT relating to codes of ethics for local governments.

Sponsor: Senator David Yates

Unit of Government: **X** City **X** County **X** Urban-County Unified Local Government **X** Charter County **X** Consolidated Local

Office(s) Impacted: Local Governments

Requirement: **X** Mandatory ____ Optional

Effect on Powers & Duties: **X** Modifies Existing ____ Adds New ____ Eliminates Existing

Part II: Bill Provisions and the Estimated Fiscal Impact Relating to Local Government

SB 304 would amend KRS 65.003 to state that an appeal from a final order issued by a person or group responsible for enforcement of a code of ethics may be taken to the Circuit Court of the county in which that person or group is located.

The fiscal impact of SB 304 on local governments is expected to be minimal. This may result in some changes in court costs or fees to a local government whose decision is subject to appeal.

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