

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FISCAL NOTE STATEMENT  
LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION  
2025 REGULAR SESSION**

**MEASURE**

2025 BR NUMBER 1469

HOUSE BILL NUMBER 738

**TITLE** AN ACT relating to state personnel.

**SPONSOR** Representative Peyton Griffee

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

STATE FISCAL IMPACT:  YES  NO  UNCERTAIN

OTHER FISCAL STATEMENT(S) THAT MAY APPLY:  ACTUARIAL ANALYSIS  
 LOCAL MANDATE  CORRECTIONS IMPACT  HEALTH BENEFIT MANDATE  STATE  
EMPLOYEE HEALTH PLAN IMPACT

APPROPRIATION UNIT(S) IMPACTED: Treasury, Auditor of Public Accounts, Secretary of State,  
Agriculture, and Attorney General

FUND(S) IMPACTED:  GENERAL  ROAD  FEDERAL  RESTRICTED \_\_\_\_\_

FISCAL ESTIMATES	2024-2025	2025-2026	ANNUAL IMPACT AT FULL IMPLEMENTATION
<b>REVENUES</b>			
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	\$5,300,000	\$5,300,000	\$5,300,000
<b>NET EFFECT</b>	(\$5,300,000)	(\$5,300,000)	(\$5,300,000)

( ) indicates a decrease/negative

**PURPOSE OF MEASURE:** The measure creates a new section of KRS Chapter 64 to allow Constitutional Officers the ability to increase the salary of any classified employee with status to the midpoint of the grade of the employee’s classification. This would include the Auditor of Public Accounts, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Department of Agriculture, and the Attorney General’s Office.

**FISCAL EXPLANATION:** If every filled position in all offices were to receive the maximum salary increase, the estimated fiscal impact would be \$5,300,000 each fiscal year.

**DATA SOURCE(S):** LRC Staff

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