



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 210

PRINTERS NO. 1265

PRIME SPONSOR: Greenleaf

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2015/16	FY 2016/17
General Fund	\$0	\$0

#### SUMMARY:

Senate Bill 210 amends the Judicial Code concerning jury duty. It would take effect in 60 days.

#### ANALYSIS:

This legislation adds three new exemptions to the list of exemptions from jury duty.

First, it would allow persons 75 years of age or older to be excused from jury duty based on their age if they choose to be so excused.

Second, judges and magisterial district judges of the Commonwealth and judges of the United States could be excused.

Third, it would allow an exemption for breastfeeding women who provide the court with a certified letter from their physician which states that the woman is breastfeeding. This excuse would be valid for one year and could be renewed for one additional year if the woman is able to provide the court with a certified letter from the woman's physician which states that the woman is breastfeeding.

#### FISCAL IMPACT:

Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds.

**PREPARED BY:** Jeff Miller  
House Appropriations Committee (R)

**DATE:** September 24, 2015

*Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.*