BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 60th Legislature

Bill No.: HB1082 Version: FULLAMD1

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Research Analysis

The full committee amendment to HB 1082 provides that the court may grant the care, custody, and control of a child to either parent or to the parents jointly. The amendment also adds that in proceedings where a parent is a registrant on the Sex Offenders Registration Act, the Mary Rippy Violent Crime Offenders Registration Act, or similar registration in another state, there will be a rebuttable presumption that sole custody or any shared parenting plan with this parent is detrimental and not in the best interest of the child. It will presumed to be in the best interest of the child to reside with a parent not subject to any of these registries.

HB 1082 adds that there is a presumption that join custody and equally shared parenting time is in the best interest of the child, which this presumption can be rebuttable by a preponderance of evidence.

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Fiscal Analysis

The POLREC to HB1082 sets forth a rebuttable presumption in certain child custody proceedings. In its current form, this measure is not anticipated to create a material fiscal impact to state budget or appropriations.

The FULLAMD1 to HB1082 adds that there is a certain rebuttable presumption and modifies various civil procedures. This does not change the fiscal impact of the measure.

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Other Considerations

None.

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