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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 7705**  
**BILL NUMBER: SB 435**

**DATE PREPARED:** Jan 7, 1999  
**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Boards of voter registration.

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**FUNDS AFFECTED:**      **GENERAL**  
                                  **DEDICATED**  
                                  **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** Local

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill provides for the establishment of a board of registration in each county having a second class city. (Current law provides for the mandatory establishment of a board of registration only in counties having a population of more than 125,000.)

**Effective Date:** July 1, 1999.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** Under current statute, counties with a population of 125,000 or larger are required to have a board of registration. There are 9 counties (Allen, Elkhart, Lake, Madison, Marion, Porter, St. Joseph, Tippecanoe, Vanderburgh) with a population of 125,000 or larger. This bill provides that a board of registration is established in each county having: (1) a population of 125,000 or larger; **or** (2) a second class city. There are 15 second class cities (population of 35,000 to 250,000) in Indiana. There are an additional 4 counties (Floyd, Howard, Vigo, and Wayne) that would be impacted by the provisions of this bill. The board of registration is paid from the county general fund.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:** The counties of Floyd, Howard, Vigo, and Wayne.

**Information Sources:**