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SB17-124

FISCAL NOTE

FISCAL IMPACT: State Local Statutory Public Entity Conditional No Fiscal Impact

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BILL TOPIC: CO UNIFORM TRUST DECANTING ACT

Summary of Legislation

Recommended by the Statutory Revision Committee, this bill clarifies that an authorized fiduciary may not exercise decanting power between two trusts if the first trust grants the settlor or another person the power to cause the first trust to cease to be a grantor trust.

Background

Decanting power allows an authorized fiduciary to modify a trust directly or by distributing its assets to another trust. A grantor trust is one of which the settlor is considered the owner.

Assessment

The bill makes a small change to the statute regarding trusts; it has no effect on workload, revenue, or expenditures for any agency of state or local government. As a result, it is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect August 9, 2017, if the General Assembly adjourns on May 10, 2017, as scheduled, and no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

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