## Fiscal Estimate - 2003 Session

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## Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill increases the penalties relating to causing bodily harm or substantial bodily harm to a peace officer.

We are unable to determine the fiscal impact of this legislation. It will depend on the sentencing practices of the court and whether that results in a change in the length of sentence that the offender would otherwise have received. If persons formally convicted of a misdemeanor are now convicted of a felony, state costs would increase if they are sentenced to a state prison instead of a county jail. The approximate cost to incarcerate an offender is \$26,000/yr.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**