

Fiscal Estimate - 2005 Session

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Fiscal Effect State: <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs</div></div> Local: <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</div><div style="width: 33%;">5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Cities</div></div></div></div>			

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, if a person commits a misdemeanor before he or she reaches the age of 21, a court may order that the court's record regarding the offense be expunged upon the offender's successful completion of his or her sentence. This bill makes the expungement option available for offenders of all ages, and the court may enter an order authorizing expungement at any time during or after the sentence.

The Department of Corrections (DOC) is responsible for entering amended orders for probationers into the Department's database. Under this bill there will likely be an increase in the number of amended orders that would need to be entered.

The amount of time required to process orders at the county level would also likely increase under this bill. There would be additional requests made for records to be expunged, and additional copy work of court files would also be required.

Since it is not possible to project how many additional expungement requests and/or orders would need to be processed by DOC or counties, it is not possible to determine the state or local cost increases resulting from this bill.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications