

Fiscal Estimate - 2013 Session

Original Updated Corrected Supplemental

LRB Number 13-3800/1		Introduction Number SB-447	
Description Strip searches			
Fiscal Effect			
State:			
<input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate			
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations		<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	
Local:			
<input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate			
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs		3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue	
<input checked="" 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	
5. Types of Local Government Units Affected			
<input type="checkbox"/> Towns		<input type="checkbox"/> Village	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Counties		<input type="checkbox"/> Cities	
<input type="checkbox"/> School Districts		<input type="checkbox"/> Others	
		<input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts	
Fund Sources Affected		Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS 20.550(1)(b-d)			
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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

SPD 12/18/2013

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The State Public Defender (SPD) is statutorily authorized and required to appoint attorneys to represent indigent defendants in criminal and certain commitment proceedings. The SPD plays a critical role in ensuring that the Wisconsin justice system complies with the right to counsel provided by both the state and federal constitutions. Any legislation has the potential to increase SPD costs if it creates a new criminal offense, expands the definition of an existing criminal offense, or increases the penalties for an existing offense.

This bill allows a person to be strip searched, subject to the requirements imposed under current law, if he or she is arrested or otherwise lawfully detained by law enforcement, and he or she will be incarcerated, imprisoned or otherwise detained in a jail or prison with one or more other persons.

This bill does not regulate strip searches by law enforcement or medical personnel only but allows anyone that obtains written permission from the chief, sheriff or law enforcement administrator for his or her jurisdiction to conduct a strip search for both felonies and certain misdemeanors. This bill has an unquantifiable fiscal effect on the SPD; due to the unforeseen charges resulting from the strip search (i.e. drug related offense) which could result in legal representation by the SPD.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications