

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	17-1322/1	Introduction Number	SB-133	Estimate Type	Original
Description possession of or use of a credit card scanner, providing civil immunity for sellers or distributors of fuel for scanners installed on pumps, and providing criminal penalties					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill creates several crimes relating to credit card scanners and identity theft.

District Attorneys stated this legislation has the potential to increase District Attorney workload because it creates a new criminal offense. Prosecution of these cases can be complicated and time consuming due to the review and approval of subpoenas, review of video evidence related to the installation and use of the devices on the machines in question and motion hearings. As the scope of the problem statewide is unknown, the costs are indeterminate.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

For the reasons cited above, long-range costs are indeterminate.