

Fiscal Estimate Narratives
SPD 3/22/02

LRB Number 01-4366/1	Introduction Number AB-903	Estimate Type Original
Subject Escapes during conditional release		

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Because this bill would create a new form of criminal escape, it would increase the costs of the State Public Defender. Cases under the proposed statute are likely to raise issues of mental competency and/or responsibility, which will increase costs to the SPD and other government entities for expert witnesses and litigation of mental health issues.

For the same reason, it might increase the incarceration costs of counties.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications