

Fiscal Estimate - 2009 Session

Original Updated Corrected Supplemental

LRB Number 09-2233/2 **Introduction Number AB-0277**

Description
 Prohibiting discrimination in housing because of domestic abuse victim status and providing a penalty

Fiscal Effect

State:

No State Fiscal Effect
 Indeterminate

Increase Existing Appropriations Increase Existing Revenues
 Decrease Existing Appropriations Decrease Existing Revenues
 Create New Appropriations

Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget
 Yes No
 Decrease Costs

Local:

No Local Government Costs
 Indeterminate

1. Increase Costs 3. Increase Revenue
 Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory
 2. Decrease Costs 4. Decrease Revenue
 Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory

5. Types of Local Government Units Affected

Towns Village Cities
 Counties Others
 School Districts WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected **Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations**

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives
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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

AB 277 prohibits discrimination in housing on the basis of a person's status as a victim of domestic abuse, sexual assault, or stalking, which is defined in the bill as the status of a person who is seeking to rent or purchase housing or of a member or prospective member of the person's household having been, or being believed by the lessor or seller of housing to be a victim of domestic abuse, sexual assault, sexual assault of a child, repeated sexual assault of a child, or stalking. The bill also prohibits an owner of housing from requiring that a person seeking to buy or rent housing supply information concerning the person's status as a victim of domestic abuse, sexual assault, or stalking.

The Department of Commerce provides housing assistance to benefit low- and moderate-income households. AB 277 is not expected to have a fiscal impact on the agency.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications