

Fiscal Estimate - 2011 Session

Original
 Updated
 Corrected
 Supplemental

LRB Number 11-2007/1	Introduction Number SB-093
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Description
 Going armed with weapons, possessing or transporting a firearm, bow, or crossbow under certain circumstances, disorderly conduct limitations, and electric weapons

Fiscal Effect

State:

No State Fiscal Effect
 Indeterminate

<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	<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
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Local:

No Local Government Costs
 Indeterminate

1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <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"/> Cities <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts
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Fund Sources Affected	Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS	

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DOC 5/17/2011

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill allows a person to carry a concealed and dangerous weapon. There are some prohibitions to who can carry a concealed weapon. Also, this bill specifies the public locations where a person cannot carry a concealed weapon. Carrying a concealed weapon in a prohibited location would be a Class C misdemeanor. This bill also allows the carrying of a loaded firearm, and/or strung bow or crossbow in a vehicle and does not require that it be encased in order to be carried in the vehicle. This bill also places limitations on disorderly conduct. In addition, this bill allows the possession of an electric weapon. The bill repeals the current criminal penalty for carrying a concealed weapon which is a fine of \$10,000 or imprisonment for up to nine months or both.

The Department of Corrections is unable to estimate the number of people who would no longer be subject to the criminal penalty provisions of the current law and therefore is unable to estimate the state fiscal impact. State costs could change if a decreased number of offenders are convicted. The average FY10 annual cost for an inmate in a DOC institution is approximately \$32,100.

State costs could change if an increased or decreased number of offenders are convicted of a Class C misdemeanor are placed on probation. The average FY10 annual cost to supervise one offender is approximately \$2,800.

A local impact will occur if less people are sent to jail due to the repeal of the current criminal penalty. A local fiscal impact cannot be estimated.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications