

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	13-3285/1	Introduction Number	SB-357	Estimate Type	Original
Description Causing harm to a child by cosleeping while intoxicated, providing information about cosleeping while intoxicated, and providing a penalty					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill, if enacted, prohibits an intoxicated person from injuring or killing a child under 12 months of age by cosleeping with the child. The Child Abuse & Neglect Prevention Board will be required to prepare printed and audiovisual materials relating to cosleeping while intoxicated. The bill requires health professionals to distribute these materials to new parents; and, for school boards to provide age-appropriate instruction to students in grades 10 to 12.

Prosecutors anticipate this bill will have a modest fiscal effect on their offices; however, due to the unavailability of data, a fiscal estimate is indeterminate.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Though prosecutors believe there will be a long-term fiscal effect should this bill be enacted, the unavailability of data in this regard makes a fiscal estimate indeterminate.