

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DA 2/10/2014

LRB Number	13-4200/1	Introduction Number	SB-580	Estimate Type	Original
Description Firearm prohibition for an individual subject to an individuals-at-risk injunction and disclosure of and access to information regarding individuals who are prohibited from possessing a firearm					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill will prohibit an individual who is subject to an individuals-at-risk injunction from possessing a firearm. A surrendered firearm may not be returned until a court determines that the injunction has been vacated or has expired and that the individual who surrendered the firearm is not otherwise prohibited from possessing a firearm. Under certain circumstances, the Department of Justice must provide information to a court or law enforcement officer regarding a person's eligibility to possess a firearm.

Prosecutors believe that this bill will increase the number of court appearances in injunction matters, but a District Attorney's office does not attend civil injunction hearings. Consequently, prosecutors believe there will be no fiscal effect on DA offices should this bill be enacted.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Should this bill be enacted, prosecutors do not anticipate a long-term fiscal impact on their offices.