

Fiscal Estimate - 2017 Session

Original Updated Corrected Supplemental

LRB Number 17-0316/1 **Introduction Number** AB-0548

Description
claims by and treatment of wrongfully imprisoned persons and making appropriations

Fiscal Effect

State:

- No State Fiscal Effect
- Indeterminate
 - Increase Existing Appropriations
 - Decrease Existing Appropriations
 - Create New Appropriations
 - Increase Existing Revenues
 - Decrease Existing Revenues
 - Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget
 - Yes
 - No
 - Decrease Costs

Local:

- No Local Government Costs
- Indeterminate
 - 1. Increase Costs
 - 2. Decrease Costs
 - 3. Increase Revenue
 - 4. Decrease Revenue
 - 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected
 - Towns
 - Counties
 - School Districts
 - Village
 - Others
 - WTCS Districts
 - Cities
 - Permissive Mandatory
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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

This bill substantially changes the procedures and requirements for claims for state compensation by wrongfully imprisoned persons. Among its changes are the following provisions that impact the court system: 1) it creates a new court procedure for persons who have been ordered released from confinement in a prison to petition the circuit court for certain types of relief; and 2) it creates a new cause of action for an intentional tort under certain circumstances.

Additional court proceedings could be generated under the terms of this bill, but it is impossible to predict how frequently that may happen. Additional proceedings require additional judge, court reporter, court staff and juror time. These costs are borne by both the state and the county. It is expected that existing court staff would absorb any additional proceedings.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications