

Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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| LRB Number 21-2507/1 | Introduction Number AB-0322 | |
| Description the possession of a firearm by a person who is a fugitive from justice and providing a penalty | | |
| Fiscal Effect State: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues </div> <div style="width: 35%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No </div> <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs </div> </div> | | |
| Local: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 60%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> 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 </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> 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 </div> </div> </div> <div style="width: 35%;"> 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input type="checkbox"/> School Districts </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Cities </div> </div> </div> </div> | | |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 50%;"> Fund Sources Affected <input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations </div> </div> | | |
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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This fiscal estimate is submitted by the Director of the State Prosecutors Office on behalf of Agency 475 – District Attorneys. This fiscal estimate is responsive only to the fiscal and resource effect of the proposed legislation on the District Attorney program.

Federal law prohibits a person from possessing a firearm if he or she is a fugitive from justice; under current law there is no comparable state prohibition. Under this bill, state law would also prohibit a fugitive from justice from possessing a firearm. A person who violates the prohibition is guilty of a felony and is subject to a fine of up to \$25,000 or a term of imprisonment of up to 10 years, or both.

Responsive District Attorneys predicted that the creation of a new state-level offense would result in additional law enforcement referrals and increased case loads.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Additional study would be needed to understand the full-impact of this proposed legislation on District Attorney offices statewide.