Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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LRB Number 21-4726/1	Introduction Number A	AB-0619		
Description decriminalizing fentanyl testing strips				
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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.

This bill decriminalizes the use of fentanyl testing strips to test a substance for the presence of fentanyl. Under current law, fentanyl testing strips are considered drug paraphernalia, and it is a felony for any person to use or possess with intent to use drug paraphernalia. The bill excepts fentanyl testing strips from the definition of "drug paraphernalia."

Responsive District Attorney offices do not anticipate a significant fiscal effect on their offices resulting from this proposed bill.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

District Attorney offices do not anticipate significant long-range fiscal impact on their offices resulting from this proposed bill.