



**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

**DA 3/7/2022**

LRB Number <b>21-6000/1</b>	Introduction Number <b>SB-1027</b>	Estimate Type <b>Original</b>
<b>Description</b> Allocation of deputy district attorneys		

**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 increases the number of deputy district attorneys that may be appointed in a prosecutorial unit with a population of at least 200,000 but less than 750,000 from three deputy district attorneys to four deputy district attorneys.

Responsive District Attorneys were supportive of this bill. The ability to convert one current Assistant District Attorney position to a Deputy District Attorney position would give the three eligible offices greater control and flexibility over supervision and resource allocation issues. The costs for the three eligible counties are modest and could likely be absorbed within the agency's budget

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

No long-range fiscal concerns were identified.