

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	23-5059/1	Introduction Number	AB-0972	Estimate Type	Original
Description solicitation for prostitution and providing a penalty					

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.

District Attorneys indicated that the fiscal impact of this bill would create more work for attorneys due to the mandatory minimum requirement (there is no mandatory minimum in current law) and the variation in that requirement dependent upon prior convictions. As a result, not only will the prosecutors have to spend more time on the cases, as will county staff, increasing costs to both the state and the county. The amount of increase is indeterminate.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

The long-range fiscal implications will increase costs for the state (prosecutors) and counties (support staff) by an indeterminate amount.