

Wisconsin Department of Administration  
Division of Executive Budget and Finance

### Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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<b>LRB Number</b> <b>21-1672/1</b>	<b>Introduction Number</b> <b>AB-0768</b>	
<b>Description</b> considering post-traumatic stress disorder as a mitigating factor in sentencing certain criminal offenders		
<b>Fiscal Effect</b>		
<b>State:</b>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect		
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate		
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations	<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations	<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>Local:</b>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs		
<input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate		
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs	3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
5. Types of Local Government Units Affected		
<input type="checkbox"/> Towns	<input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Cities	
<input type="checkbox"/> Counties	<input type="checkbox"/> Others	
<input type="checkbox"/> School Districts	<input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts	
<b>Fund Sources Affected</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS		
<b>Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations</b>		
<b>Agency/Prepared By</b>	<b>Authorized Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>
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**Fiscal Estimate Narratives****DA 1/8/2022**

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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.

Under this bill, when a court makes a sentencing decision concerning a person who is a military veteran and has been diagnosed as suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder resulting from the person's military service, the court may consider that diagnosis as a mitigating factor.

Under current law, Wis. Stat. s 973.017(2)(b) directs the court to consider any applicable mitigating factors when making a sentencing decision. Responsive District Attorneys do not anticipate that delineating this mitigating factor in statute will have any fiscal impact on their offices.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

No long-range fiscal impact.