

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE**  
**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **SB 181** SLS 18RS 352

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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<b>Dept./Agy.:</b> Corrections		<b>Analyst:</b> Monique Appeaning
<b>Subject:</b> Abortion		

ABORTION

EG SEE FISC NOTE GF EX

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Prohibits abortions later than fifteen weeks after conception. (gov sig)

Proposed law makes it unlawful for physicians to administer or prescribe any drug, potion, medicine or any other substance to a female; or use any instrument or external force whatsoever on a female after fifteen weeks following the date of conception.

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>5 -YEAR TOTAL</b>
State Gen. Fd.	SEE BELOW					
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>
<b>Annual Total</b>						
<b>REVENUES</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>5 -YEAR TOTAL</b>
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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

Proposed law may result in an indeterminable increase in SGF expenditures in Department of Public Safety and Corrections - Corrections Services (DPSC) to the extent a physician is convicted of administering or prescribing any drug, potion, medicine or any other substance to a female or of using any instrument or external force whatsoever on a female after fifteen weeks following the date of conception. The maximum imprisonment term is ten (10) years at hard labor.

SGF expenditures will decrease by \$54.21 per offender per day if an offender is housed in a state facility or \$24.39 for a state offender housed in a local facility. An offender sentenced to the custody of the DPSC for one year would create SGF expenditures of \$19,786.65 (\$54.21 per day x 365 days) if housed in a state facility and \$8,902.35 (\$24.39 per day x 365 days) if housed in a local facility. Approximately 50% of state offenders are housed in state facilities and approximately 50% of state offenders are housed in local facilities. Proposed law also will likely result in an indeterminable decrease expenditures for local governing authorities for misdemeanor offenses.

NOTE: To the extent enactment of proposed law results in legal challenges and litigation, the state may realize an indeterminable, but potentially significant increase in SGF expenditures.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

Proposed law may result in an indeterminable increase in local funds revenue if a physician is convicted of administering or prescribing any drug, potion, medicine or any other substance to a female or of using any instrument or external force whatsoever on a female after fifteen weeks following the date of conception. The maximum fine imposed is \$10,000. The potential revenue will accrue to the local governing authority.

Senate      Dual Referral Rules  
 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}  
 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

House  
 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}  
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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