

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 316** HLS 20RS 313

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Creates the Crime of Infliction of Serious Injury or Death	

CRIME OR INCREASE See Note Page 1 of 1
Creates the crime of infliction of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user and provides for penalties

Proposed law creates the crime of infliction of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user. Proposed law defines "vulnerable road user". Proposed law provides that any person who commits the crime of infliction of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user may have any of the following: (1) driving privileges suspended up to 1 year; (2) fined up to \$2,000; (3) imprisoned up to 6 months; (4) complete a court-approved motor vehicle accident program; and (5) perform up to 200 hours of court-approved community service.

EXPENDITURES	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
Annual Total						

REVENUES	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

Proposed law may result in an increase in local expenditures if a person is convicted of infliction of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user and sentenced up to 6 months. The crime of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user is a misdemeanor; therefore, persons convicted of this crime are not sentenced to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Correction Services. Local governing authorities may realize an indeterminable increase in expenditures. The exact fiscal impact of the passage of this legislation is indeterminable since it is not known how many people will be convicted of this crime.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

Proposed law may result in an increase in Local Funds revenue. Proposed law creates a new misdemeanor crime of infliction of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user as well as provides that an individual convicted of this crime may be fined up to \$2,000. Because the number of persons who may be convicted for infliction of serious injury or death on a vulnerable road user is unknown, revenue derived from this source is indeterminable. However, in the event fines are levied this crime, they would accrue to local governing authorities.

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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