Proposed legislation amends the habitual offender law. Provides that a defendant whose instant felony and any prior felony is either a crime of violence or a sex offense, the defendant will serve an additional term of imprisonment of five years consecutive to the sentence imposed (unless the offender is sentenced to life imprisonment).

There will be an increase in SGF expenditures for the Department of Public Safety & Corrections - Corrections Services (DPS&C) to the extent an offender is convicted under the proposed amendments to the habitual offender law. An offender will be sentenced to an additional five (5) years to be served consecutively to the sentence for the instant offense. An additional five years in the custody of DPS&C will cost $48,162 per offender ($26.39 per day, per offender x 365 x 5 years) in adult local housing and $151,895 per offender ($83.23 per day, per offender x 365 x 5 years) in a state facility.

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.