

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 628** HLS 22RS 588

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Parole eligibility		

PAROLE EG INCREASE GF EX See Note Page 1 of 1
Provides relative to parole eligibility

Current law provides that persons committed to the Department of Public Safety & Corrections - Corrections Services (DPS&C) for a term or terms of imprisonment with or without the benefit of parole for 30 years or more shall be eligible for parole consideration upon serving at least 20 years of the term or terms of imprisonment in actual custody and upon reaching the age of 45. Current law does not apply to a person serving a life sentence unless such sentence has been commuted to a fixed term of years and does not apply to any person who has been convicted of a crime of violence or a sex offense when the offense was committed on or after August 1, 2014.

Proposed law provides that current law does not apply to any person who has been convicted of an offense that is both a crime of violence and a sex offense when the offense was committed on or after January 1, 1997.

EXPENDITURES	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	
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	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total						
REVENUES	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	DECREASE	DECREASE	DECREASE	DECREASE	DECREASE	
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total						

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There will be an increase in SGF expenditures for the Department of Public Safety & Corrections - Corrections Services (DPS&C) to the extent a person, otherwise eligible for parole under current law, is not eligible for parole under the proposed law. Any offender remaining in the custody of DPS&C increases SGF expenditures \$26.39 per day per offender (and \$9,632 annually per offender) in adult local housing and \$83.23 (and \$30,379 annually per offender) per day per offender in a state facility.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There will be an indeterminable decrease in self-generated revenue to DPS&C - Probation and Parole to the extent any offender remains in custody longer and is not released on parole under proposed law than under current law.

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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