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WEAPONS OR INCREASE LF EX See Note Page 1 of 2
 Provides relative to persons authorized to conceal carry without a permit. (See Act) (Item #18)

Current law provides the definition for illegal carrying of weapons as the intentional concealment of any firearm, or other instrumentality customarily used or intended for probable use as a dangerous weapon, on one's person; provides that anyone 21 years of age or older and who is not prohibited from possessing a firearm under applicable state or federal law is not subject to the crime of illegal carrying of weapons (ICOW). Proposed law amends current law to provide that anyone 18 years of age or older who is not prohibited from possessing a firearm under applicable state or federal law is not subject to the crime of ICOW; provides that anyone 18 years of age or older lawfully carrying a weapon is subject to existing restrictions on the carrying of concealed weapons under federal or state law; provides that a court may issue an order prohibiting a person from carrying a concealed weapon (CW) when probable cause (PC) exists to believe he poses a risk of imminent personal injury to himself (ROIPITH) or another person; provides procedure by which a district attorney may seek an order or an extension of an order prohibiting a person from carrying a CW; provides factors that courts should consider in determining whether grounds for PC exist as to whether person carrying a CW poses a ROIPITH or others; provides procedure by which person subject to order prohibiting him from carrying a CW may seek an order modifying period of prohibition.

EXPENDITURES	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	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	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	INCREASE	
Annual Total						
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

Proposed law may result in an increase in local expenditures to Clerks of Court, Sheriffs, district attorneys, and coroners. Overall, net expenditures on a local level are indeterminable.

Clerks of Court

Proposed law may result in a marginal increase in local expenditures in local clerks relative to processing filings related to and the scheduling of hearings on petitions seeking orders to prohibit persons from carrying concealed weapons. The LFO assumes that costs associated with processing filings and scheduling hearings on petitions under proposed law can be absorbed using existing staff and resources within local Clerks of Court.

Sheriffs

Proposed law may result in an increase in local expenditures to Sheriffs, to the extent that they would be required to take into custody someone adjudged as posing a risk of imminent personal injury to himself or others and transport them to a treatment facility or the office of the coroner for immediate examination. The exact impact on local expenditures to Sheriffs is indeterminable, because it is unknown how many orders for protective custody for those individuals contemplated in proposed law will be issued in the future, or the transportation costs associated with taking them to treatment facilities or local coroners for evaluation.

Local District Attorneys

Proposed law may result in an increase in local expenditures to local district attorneys, to the extent that they prepare filings related to and participate in hearings seeking orders and extensions of orders prohibiting persons from carrying concealed weapons, there may be an increase in workload, requiring the agency to secure additional staff. The LFO is working with the Louisiana District Attorneys Association to determine if local district attorneys can absorb the additional workload using existing staff and resources.

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REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

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

House
 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
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Local Coroners

Proposed law may result in an increase in local expenditures to local coroners, to the extent that they provide immediate examinations of persons subject to a court order who have been adjudged to pose a risk of immediate personal injury to himself or others. To the extent that coroners receive those who are placed in custody pursuant to these orders and assume any expenditures related to conducting examinations of these individuals, there may be an increase in workload, requiring the agency to secure additional staff. The LFO presumes that local costs may vary within coroner's officers throughout the state, but that local coroners can absorb the additional workload using existing staff and resources.

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