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Provides with respect to cost of concealed handgun permit for veterans

Proposed law amends present law providing relative to active duty, reserve members, and veterans of the armed forces paying 50% of the annual fee for five-year or lifetime concealed carry permits.

Financial tables for EXPENDITURES and REVENUES from 2016-17 to 2020-21 with 5-year totals.

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

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

REVENUE EXPLANATION

Proposed law will result in an indeterminable decrease of revenues for the statutorily dedicated Concealed Handgun Permit Fund.

Public Safety Services (PSS) issued 4,623 concealed carry permits to veterans out of a total of 17,853 permits (26%) issued statewide in FY 15.

PSS does not track data distinguishing five-year and lifetime concealed permits issued to veterans. However, based upon PSS data, 91% of all concealed carry permits issued in FY 15 were for five years with the remaining 9% being lifetime permits.

For reference, the Concealed Handgun Permit Fund has a FY 16 appropriation of \$5.2 M with total collections to date of \$2.2 M and a current unencumbered balance of approximately \$934,000.

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