

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE Fiscal Note

Fiscal Note On: **HB** 582 HLS 16RS 261

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Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For .:

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Dept./Agy.: Corrections

Subject: Aggravated Assault Upon A Peace Officer

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Provides for the crime of aggravated assault upon a peace officer

<u>Present law</u> provides for the crime of aggravated assault upon a peace officer with a firearm. <u>Proposed law</u> removes element of the offense specifying that the aggravated assault must be created with a firearm. Makes changes in other provisions of present law to provide for consistency. (Amends R.S. 14:2(B)(32) and 37.2 and R.S. 15:642(2)(b))

EXPENDITURES	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	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	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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Local Funds	SEE BELOW					

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

This legislation will result in an indeterminable increase in SGF expenditures as a result of changes to the sentencing guideline of the crime "aggravated assault upon a peace officer". The maximum imprisonment term is ten (10) years, with or without hard labor, or both. Proposed law removes "with a firearm" from present law.

SGF expenditures will increase by \$51.68 per offender per day if offenders are housed in state facilities and by \$24.39 for state offenders housed in local facilities. Offenders sentenced to the custody of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections for one year would increase SGF expenditures by \$18,863 (\$51.68 per day x 365 days) if housed in a state facility and \$8,902 (\$24.39 per day x 365 days) if housed in local facilities. Approximately 50% of state offenders are housed in state facilities and approximately 50% of state offenders are housed in local facilities.

To the extent an offender serves the maximum of ten (10) years, the cost in a state facility would be \$188,630 (1 offender x \$18,863 per year x 10 years) or \$89,020 (1 offender x \$8,902 per year x 10 years) if a state offender is housed in a local facility.

Note: Under <u>present law</u>, the number of state offenders housed for this offense is 55, with an average imposed sentence of 12.5 years and an average time served of 4.03 years.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

The <u>proposed law</u> may result in an indeterminable increase in local funds revenue as a result of sentencing guideline changes that removes "with a firearm" from present law. The maximum fine imposed is \$5,000.

<u>Senate</u>	<u>Dual Referral Rules</u> \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {	House S&H}	$6.8(F)(1) >= $100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}$	Evan	Brasseaux
13.5.2 >= 3	\$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee	-	6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase	Evan Brassea Staff Director	