

Judicial Impact Fiscal Note

Bill Number: 1044 HB	Title: Minority & women's business	Agency: 055-Admin Office of the Courts
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Part I: Estimates

☐ No Fiscal Impact

Estimated Cash Receipts to:

Non-zero but indeterminate cost. Please see discussion.

Estimated Expenditures from:

Non-zero but indeterminate cost. Please see discussion.

The revenue and expenditure estimates on this page represent the most likely fiscal impact. Responsibility for expenditures may be subject to the provisions of RCW 43.135.060.

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- ☐ If fiscal impact is greater than \$50,000 per fiscal year in the current biennium or in subsequent biennia, complete entire fiscal note form Parts I-V.
- ☒ If fiscal impact is less than \$50,000 per fiscal year in the current biennium or in subsequent biennia, complete this page only (Part I).
- ☐ Capital budget impact, complete Part IV.

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Part II: Narrative Explanation

II. A - Brief Description Of What The Measure Does That Has Fiscal Impact on the Courts

The bill addresses regulatory oversight of the Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises .

Sections with potential court impacts:

Section 5 is a new section of Chapter 39.19 RCW that would authorize the director or director's designee to apply for and obtain a superior court order for a subpoena. The application could be made in the county where the person resides, where the documents and evidence are located or in Thurston County. The application for court approval is subject the fee and process set forth in RCW 36.18.012(3).

II. B - Cash Receipts Impact

There may be some small increase in filing fee revenue collected by county clerks . There is not expected to be a large amount of filings.

II. C - Expenditures

There may be a small increase in the number of subpoena requests heard in superior courts in Thurston County and around the state . It is assumed that most subpoena requests would be processed via the administrative subpoena process described in Section 4 of the bill without the need to apply to the court. Therefore, there is not a high number of these requests expected .

In order to provide scale, it would take over 450 superior court applications and hearings in a year to exceed \$50 ,000 of impact in the form of judicial officer time and support staff time.

Part III: Expenditure Detail

Part IV: Capital Budget Impact