

# Judicial Impact Fiscal Note

<b>Bill Number:</b> 6160 SB	<b>Title:</b> Motor vehicle air bags	<b>Agency:</b> 055-Admin Office of the Courts
-----------------------------	--------------------------------------	---

## Part I: Estimates

**No Fiscal Impact**

**Estimated Cash Receipts to:**

**Non-zero but indeterminate cost. Please see discussion.**

**Estimated Expenditures from:**

COUNTY	FY 2016	FY 2017	2015-17	2017-19	2019-21
County FTE Staff Years					
<b>Account</b>					
Local - Counties					
Counties Subtotal \$					
CITY	FY 2016	FY 2017	2015-17	2017-19	2019-21
City FTE Staff Years					
<b>Account</b>					
Local - Cities					
Cities Subtotal \$					
Local Subtotal \$					
Total Estimated Expenditures \$					

*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.*

Check applicable boxes and follow corresponding instructions:

- 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.

Legislative Contact: Angela Kleis	Phone: 360-786-7469	Date: 01/11/2016
Agency Preparation: Sam Knutson	Phone: 3607045528	Date: 01/13/2016
Agency Approval: Ramsey Radwan	Phone: 360-357-2406	Date: 01/13/2016
OFM Review:	Phone:	Date:

Request # 6160 SB-1

## Part II: Narrative Explanation

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

### II. B - Cash Receipts Impact

### II. C - Expenditures

## Part III: Expenditure Detail

### III. A - Expenditure By Object or Purpose (State)

<i>State</i>	FY 2016	FY 2017	2015-17	2017-19	2019-21
FTE Staff Years					
<b>Total \$</b>					

### III. B - Expenditure By Object or Purpose (County)

<i>County</i>	FY 2016	FY 2017	2015-17	2017-19	2019-21
FTE Staff Years					
<b>Total \$</b>					

### III. C - Expenditure By Object or Purpose (City)

<i>City</i>	FY 2016	FY 2017	2015-17	2017-19	2019-21
FTE Staff Years					
<b>Total \$</b>					

## Part IV: Capital Budget Impact

## **Part II: Narrative Explanation**

### **Part II.A – Brief Description of what the Measure does that has fiscal impact on the Courts**

RCW 46.37.650 (1) would be amended to say a person found guilty of reasonably knowing that a device that is installed or re-installed in a vehicle or is distributed as an auto part to replace a motor vehicle air bag is guilty of a class C felony. “Device” is defined as: (a) a counterfeit air bag, (b) a non-functional air bag, (c) a previously deployed or damaged air bag, or (d) otherwise does not meet all applicable federal safety standards for an air bag.

RCW 46.37.650 (2) would be amended to say a person found guilty of subsection (1) must be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars or confinement in the county jail for not more than five years, or both.

RCW 46.37.660 (2) (new subsection) – A person is guilty of a class C felony if he or she sells, installs, or re-installs in any motor vehicle any device that causes the vehicle’s diagnostic system to inaccurately indicate the vehicle is equipped with a functional air bag when an counterfeit air bag, a non-functional air bag, or no air bag is installed.

RCW 46.37.660 (3) (new subsection) – A person found guilty of violation of RCW 46.37.660 must be punished by a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars or by confinement in the county jail for not more than five years, or both.

### **II.B - Cash Receipt Impact**

Indeterminate, less than \$50,000 per year.

Filing and conviction data for RCW 46.37.650 and RCW 46.36.660 was reviewed for the period 2010 – 2014. There were no violations during this period noted in the Judicial Information System (JIS) data. While there may be future violations, impact is expected to be minimal.

### **II.C – Expenditures**

No impact.

The law table would require updates to define violations and establish penalties. This would be done during routine law table maintenance.