

JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

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| Bill Number: 1728 EHB | Title: Child Sex Exploitation Subpoenas | Agency: 055 – Admin Office of the Courts (AOC) |
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Part I: Estimates

No Fiscal Impact

Estimated Cash Receipts to:

| | FY 2018 | FY 2019 | 2017-19 | 2019-21 | 2021-23 |
|---------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
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| Total: | | | | | |

Estimated Expenditures from:

| | FY 2018 | FY 2019 | 2017-19 | 2019-21 | 2021-23 |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| STATE | | | | | |
| FTE – Staff Years | | | | | |
| Account | | | | | |
| General Fund – State (001-1) | | | | | |
| State Subtotal | | | | | |
| COUNTY | | | | | |
| County FTE Staff Years | | | | | |
| Account | | | | | |
| Local - Counties | | | | | |
| Counties Subtotal | | | | | |
| CITY | | | | | |
| City FTE Staff Years | | | | | |
| Account | | | | | |
| 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:

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Part II: Narrative Explanation

This bill would authorize law enforcement the use of administrative subpoena authority for customer and subscriber information from electronic communications providers already required to release information under federal law, to investigate crimes involving sexual exploitation of children.

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

Section 2(1) – Would provide that in a criminal investigation of an offense involving the sexual exploitation of children under RCW 9.68A, a prosecuting attorney shall use the special inquiry judge process established under RCW 10.27 when the prosecuting attorney determines it is necessary to the investigation to subpoena a provider of electronic communication services or remote computing services to obtain records relevant to the investigation.

Section 3(2) – Would amend RCW 10.27.170 to provide that upon petition of a prosecuting attorney for the establishment of a special inquiry judge proceeding in an investigation of sexual exploitation of children, the court shall establish the special inquiry judge proceeding as soon as practicable but no later than seventy-two hours after the filing of the petition.

II.B - Cash Receipt Impact

No cash receipt impact.

II.C – Expenditures

No judicial data exists to estimate the number of special inquiry judge proceedings that would result from this bill. Fiscal impact is expected to be minimal.