

JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

Bill Number: 1909 HB	Title: License Plate Recognition	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
Total:					

Estimated Expenditures from:

STATE	FY 2018	FY 2019	2017-19	2019-21	2021-23
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:

- 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

This bill would amend RCW 46 to authorize certain agencies to use an automated license plate recognition system.

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

The bill would authorize the following agencies to use an automated license plate recognition system:

- 1) A law enforcement agency or parking enforcement agency for locating vehicles on a watch list;
- 2) A parking enforcement agency for enforcing time restrictions on parking spaces;
- 3) A transportation agency for providing real time traffic information to the public; and
- 4) An agency for controlling access to secured areas.

This bill would allow an automated license plate recognition system to be used as a component of a photo toll system or as a component of an automated traffic safety camera system.

Section 1 – Provides definitions, including Section 1(5) defining “watch list” as a list of license plate numbers to be compared against a license plate number obtained from an automated license plate recognition system. “Watch list” does not include a list not used for comparison to license plate numbers obtained from an automated license plate recognition system.

Section 3 – Would provide that any information obtained in violation of the provisions of the bill is inadmissible in any civil or criminal case in any court of general or limited jurisdiction, except in an action brought for damages by a person claiming that their rights have been violated by use of an automated license plate recognition system.

II.B - Cash Receipt Impact

No cash receipt impact.

II.C – Expenditures

Indeterminate, but expected to be minimal.

This bill would allow a person to file for damages if they believe their rights had been violated by use of an automated license plate recognition system.

The bill would require a new cause of action for a person filing for damages. This could be managed within existing resources.