JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

Bill Number: 2542 HB **Title:** Ex Parte Temporary Orders Agency: 055 – Admin Office of the Courts (AOC)

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 authorize a district court to issue an ex parte temporary order for protection outside of normal court hours based on a law enforcement officer's sworn petition and testimony.

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

RCW 26.50.070 would be amended to allow a district court to issue an ex parte temporary order for protection outside of normal court hours based on a law enforcement officer's sworn petition and testimony by telephone that irreparable injury could result from domestic violence if an order is not issued without prior notice to the respondent.

The process would be similar to the process for issuing search warrants so judges could be contacted at any hour of the day or night. It is not known how often the telephone requests would be made but it is assumed the cost to the courts would be under \$50,000.

II.B - Cash Receipt Impact

No cash receipt impact.

II.C – Expenditures