

# JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

<b>Bill Number:</b> 2890 SHB	<b>Title:</b> Certificates of Discharge	<b>Agency:</b> 055 – Administrative 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
<b>Total:</b>					

### Estimated Expenditures from:

STATE	FY 2018	FY 2019	2017-19	2019-21	2021-23
FTE – Staff Years					
<b>Account</b>					
General Fund – State (001-1)					
State Subtotal					
<b>COUNTY</b>					
County FTE Staff Years					
<b>Account</b>					
Local - Counties					
Counties Subtotal					
<b>CITY</b>					
City FTE Staff Years					
<b>Account</b>					
Local – Cities					
Cities Subtotal					
Local Subtotal					
<b>Total Estimated Expenditures:</b>					

*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

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☐ Capital budget impact, complete Part IV.

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## **Part II: Narrative Explanation**

This bill would modify the process for obtaining a certificate of discharge and would expand eligibility criteria for vacating criminal convictions.

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

This bill would amend RCW 9.94A.637 to change how a certificate of discharge is obtained, and amend RCW 9.94A.640 to prohibit vacation of conviction if certain crimes are present.

Courts would be required to prepare a more complex calculation they did not need to do before.

This bill differs from HB 2890:

- Current restrictions barring certain offenses from vacation are restored, except for Assault in the second degree, Assault in the third degree when not committed against a law enforcement officer or peace officer, and Robbery in the second degree.
- Courts would be prohibited from vacating a felony conviction unless the applicant has not been convicted of a new crime for a specified period preceding the application, rather than since the date of receiving the certificate of discharge.
- A cross-reference to felony DUI statutes is modified to reflect prior changes in the classification level of those offenses.

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

None.

### **II.C – Expenditures**

Indeterminate, but expected to be minimal. Based on information from the program, although there would be a more complex calculation to prepare, there would not likely be a high volume of requests.