JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

Bill Number:	Title:	Agency:
6015 SSB	Wrongful Injury or Death	055 – Administrative Office
	0, 1, 1	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 clarify damages that may be recovered in wrongful death and survival causes of action. The bill would remove the requirements that second-tier beneficiaries, such as parents or siblings, must reside in the U.S. at the time of the decedent's death and be dependent on the decedent for financial support in order to recover in a wrongful death or survival action.

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

II.B - Cash Receipt Impact

None.

II.C – Expenditures

Indeterminate. Although this bill has the potential of creating additional lawsuits due to the removal of conditions for standing, court impact is expected to be minimal.