

# JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

<b>Bill Number:</b> 2796 HB	<b>Title:</b> Juvenile Sex Offender Registration	<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 2020	FY 2021	2019-21	2021-23	2023-25
<b>Total:</b>					

### Estimated Expenditures from:

STATE	FY 2020	FY 2021	2019-21	2021-23	2023-25
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

☒ 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 modify RCW 13.40.162 Special sex offender disposition alternative by adding assault 4 with sexual motivation to the list of offenses that are eligible for the program and would deny those that have had prior sexual offenses from being eligible for the special sex offender disposition alternative.

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

Section 1(1) – Would make a juvenile eligible for the special sex offender disposition alternative when;

- (a) The offender is found to have committed a sex offense, other than a serious violent offense as defined by RCW 9.94A.030 and the offender has no history of a prior sex offenses; and
- (b) The offender is guilty of assault in the fourth degree with sexual motivation and the offender has no history of a prior sex offenses.

Section 1(7)(a) – Would allow the court, upon entry of a suspended disposition under this section, if the juvenile is required to register as a sex offender, to suspend the requirement to register under the following circumstances:

- (i) The juvenile is not charged with a violent offense under RCW 9.94A.030.
- (ii) The juvenile is at low risk to reoffend based on examination under subsection (2) of this section; and
- (iii) The interests of the juvenile and the community weigh in favor of suspending the requirement.

Section 1(7)(b) – Would allow for the court to revoke the juveniles suspended disposition and order the juvenile to register as a sex offender.

Section 1(7)(c) – Would allow for the court to terminate sex offender registration at the end of the supervision ordered under the disposition alternative if the court finds;

- (i) the juvenile has met all the statutory requirements and completed all the terms of supervision;
- (ii) the suspension ordered under this section has not been revoked;
- (iii) the juvenile is at low risk to reoffend based on the examination ordered under subsection (2) of this section; and
- (iv) there is sufficient reason to remove the juvenile from the central registry of sex offenders after considering the circumstances of the case.

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

None

### **II.C – Expenditures**

This bill would require some pattern form changes, judicial officer education and small IT changes. These impacts could be managed within existing resources.