

JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

Bill Number: 6180 SB	Title: Juvenile Sex Offender Registration Waivers	Agency: 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
Total:					

Estimated Expenditures from:

STATE	FY 2020	FY 2021	2019-21	2021-23	2023-25
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 make changes to the requirements that allow for juvenile sex offender registration waivers under the special sexual offender disposition alternative amending RCW 13.40.162 and 9A.44.140.

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

Section 1(1)(a) – Would add language that would allow for an offender that has no history of prior sex offenses and the offense was not a serious violent offense under RCW 9.94A.030 to be eligible for special sex offender disposition alternatives or;

Section 1(1)(b) – when the offender is found to committed 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 for the court to suspend a juvenile ordered to register as a sex offender under RCW 9.94A.030 upon entry of a special sex offender disposition alternative under the following circumstances: (i) the juvenile is not charged with a violent offense under RCW 9.94A.030; (ii) the juvenile is at a low risk to reoffend based on the examination ordered under subsection (2) of this section; and (iii) the interests of the juvenile and the community weigh in favor of suspending the requirement to register as a sex offender.

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

Section 1(7)(c) – Would allow for the court to terminate sex offender registration for a juvenile registered as a sex offender who is at the end of the supervision ordered under a disposition alternative provided 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) by a preponderance of evidence, sufficient reason exists 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

Indeterminate, but expected to minimal. Impacts could be managed with existing resources.