

# JUDICIAL IMPACT FISCAL NOTE

<b>Bill Number:</b> 1293 HB	<b>Title:</b> Sentencing / Domestic Violence	<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 2022	FY 2023	2021-23	2023-25	2025-27
<b>Total:</b>					

### Estimated Expenditures from:

STATE	FY 2022	FY 2023	2021-23	2023-25	2025-27
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 authorize a sentencing court to resentence a person or vacate a person's record of conviction on the basis that the person is a survivor of domestic violence. The bill would create a sentencing alternative for survivors of domestic violence and would authorize a sentencing court to impose the sentencing alternative or a reduced sentence for a qualifying person.

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

Sections 2 and 3 - Would add new sections to RCW 9.94A allowing courts to reduce any term of incarceration or other criminal penalties or impose available alternatives if the offender is a victim of domestic violence.

Section 4 - Would allow a person previously sentenced to petition the court for resentencing, requiring specific procedures. Would allow those persons previously incarcerated to petition for relief.

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

None.

### **II.C – Expenditures**

Indeterminate. It is unknown how many persons may apply for vacation under the provisions of this bill. Existing data does not identify when a defendant in a criminal case is a domestic violence survivor.

Court education would be required. Forms would need to be updated. These impacts would be managed within existing resources.