

CORRECTIONS IMPACT STATEMENT

SESSION: 15RS BILL #: HB 226 Introduced BR #: 1307 DOC ID#: BR130700.100 - 1307 - 2426

BILL SPONSOR(S): Rep. K. Sinnette AMENDMENT SPONSOR(S):

SUBJECT: AN ACT relating to sexual offenses.

SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION: Create a new section of KRS Chapter 510, relating to sexual offenses, to create a new offense for serial abuse of a child and provide penalty.

This bill amendment committee substitute is expected to:

Have the following Corrections impact Have no Corrections impact

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Creates new crime(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Repeals existing crime(s) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increases penalty for existing crime(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Decreases penalty for existing crime(s) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increases incarceration | <input type="checkbox"/> Decreases incarceration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduces inmate/offender services | <input type="checkbox"/> Increases inmate/offender services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increases staff time or positions | <input type="checkbox"/> Reduces staff time or positions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Changes elements of offense for existing crime(s) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Otherwise impacts incarceration (Explain) _____ | |

STATE IMPACT: Class A, B & C felonies are based on an average daily prison rate of \$60.38. Most Class D felons are housed in one of 78 full service jails for up to 5 years. DOC's cost to incarcerate a felony inmate in a jail is \$32.92 per day (includes jail per diem, medical & central office costs), not including substance abuse treatment. Projections are based on the daily rate x 365 x number of years.

Projected Impact: NONE MINIMAL MODERATE SIGNIFICANT

Potential Cost: Section 1 This bill proposal establishes a new Class B felony offense for serial abuse of a child in KRS 510 and would increase costs associated with incarceration. The impact of this bill is expected to be minimal.

A Class B Felony sentence is 10 to 20 years

10 Class B Felons cost \$2.2M to \$4.4M.

1 Class B Felon costs Ky. \$220,382 to \$440,763.

100 Class B Felons cost \$22M to \$44M.

LOCAL IMPACT: Local governments are responsible for the cost of incarcerating individuals charged with Class A or B misdemeanors and felony defendants until disposition of the case. While the expense varies by jail, this estimated impact will be based on \$32.25 per day, which equals the per diem and medical that DOC pays jails to house felony offenders.

Creates no new misdemeanor offenses.

The following offices contributed to this Corrections Impact Statement:

Dept. of Corrections Dept. of Kentucky State Police Administrative Office of the Courts Parole Board Other

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the cumulative impact of all bills that increase the felon population or that impose new obligations on state or local governments.

APPROVED BY:

Commissioner, Kentucky Department of Corrections

Date