CORRECTIONS IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL SPONSOR(S): Rep. J. Jenkins, L. Belcher AMENDMENT SPONSOR(S): SUBJECT: AN ACT relating to distribution of sexually explicit images without the consent of the person depicted. SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION: Amend KRS 531.010 to define "private erotic matter"; create a new section of KRS Chapter 531 to prohibit the distribution of sexually explicit images without consent, and make such distribution a Class A misdemeanor unless it is done for profit, in which case it is a Class D felony. This \square bill \square amendment \square committee substitute is expected to: ☐ Have the following Corrections impact ☐ Have no Corrections impact Creates new crime(s) Repeals existing crime(s) Increases penalty for existing crime(s) Decreases penalty for existing crime(s) Decreases incarceration Increases incarceration Reduces inmate/offender services Increases inmate/offender services Increases staff time or positions Reduces staff time or positions Changes elements of offense for existing crime(s) Otherwise impacts incarceration (Explain). STATE IMPACT: Class A, B & C felonies are based on an average daily prison rate of \$61.09. 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 \$31.92 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. NONE MINIMAL MODERATE SIGNIFICANT **Projected Impact:** Potential Impact: Section 2 The proposed legislation creates the term "Private Erotic Matter". Distribution of sexually explicit images without consent is a Class A Misdemeanor. If the private erotic matter is distributed for profit or gain then it is a Class D felony. As this is a new felony it is not possible to determine the total impact on incarceration rates for the Department of Corrections. A Class D Felony sentence is 1 to 5 years. 10 Class D Felons cost \$118,660 to \$600,720. 1 Class D Felon costs Ky. \$11,866 to \$60,072. 100 Class D Felons cost \$1.2M to \$6M. **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 \$31.34 per day, which equals the per diem and medical that DOC pays jails to house felony offenders. Potential Impact: Section 2 With the creation of a Class A misdemeanor, local facilities will have to house individuals convicted of the crime proposed by the legislation. Based on the \$31.34 per diem rate, the local impact is estimated as follows: 10 Class A misdemeanants: \$29,025 to 117,713. A Class A misdemeanor is 90 days to 1 year in jail 1 Class A misdemeanant: \$2,903. to \$11,771. 100 Class A misdemeanants: \$290,250 to \$1.1M. 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