Local Government Mandate Statement
Kentucky Legislative Research Commission
2025 Regular Session

Part I: Measure Information

Bill Request #:	900	**Bill #:**	HB 596
Document ID #:	3848	**Sponsor:**	Rep. Adrielle Camuel
Bill Title:	AN ACT relating to petitions for orders of protection		

Unit of Government: ☒ City ☒ County ☒ Urban-County ☒ Charter County ☒ Consolidated Local ☒ Unified Local

Office(s) Impacted: Law Enforcement

Requirement: ☒ Mandatory ☐ Optional

Effect on Powers & Duties: ☒ Modifies Existing ☐ Adds New ☐ Eliminates Existing

Other Fiscal Statement(s) that may exist: ☐ Actuarial Analysis ☐ Corrections Impact ☐ Health Benefit Mandate ☐ State Employee Health Plan

Part II: Bill Provisions and the Estimated Fiscal Impact Relating to Local Government

HB 596 amends KRS 403.725 to require that local law enforcement officers be available and able to provide, verify, and file petitions for orders of protection in emergency situations.

The fiscal impact of HB 596 is expected to be minimally negative. This act requires law enforcement officers to take on additional duties regarding filing petitions for protective orders. This will take up staff time and may require more training.

Data Source(s): LRC Staff

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