

Department of Planning and Budget 2001 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number HB1560

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron Jones, J.C.

3. Committee S. Courts of Justice

4. Title Simultaneous closing of circuit and district courts.

5. Summary/Purpose:

Provides that the chief judge or presiding judge of any district court may authorize the clerk's office to close on the basis of a possible threat to the health or safety of office personnel or the general public. In making this determination, coordination with the chief judge or presiding judge of the circuit court should also take place so that both courts take the same action.

6. No Fiscal Impact: See #8 below.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications:

According the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court, there should be no fiscal impact on the court system resulting from this bill.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: The court system.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: None.

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