

Department of Planning and Budget
2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number HB31

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

2. Patron Phillips

3. Committee House Courts of Justice

4. Title Methamphetamine precursor drugs; unlawful sale, penalty.

5. Summary/Purpose: Provides that no person shall offer methamphetamine precursor drugs (ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine) for retail sale except from behind the counter upon request by the prospective purchaser to the person authorized by the owner of the retail outlet to make the sale. The seller is to require the purchaser to provide picture identification as well as record the purchaser's name and the date of purchase. A violation of this provision is a Class 3 misdemeanor.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are: PRELIMINARY; See item 8 below.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications: Anyone convicted of a Class 3 misdemeanor is subject to a fine up to \$500. Although there is not enough information available to reliably estimate how many additional violations would occur from this proposal, any violations resulting from this proposal could increase funding to the Literary Fund.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Law enforcement agencies statewide.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: None.

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cc: Secretary of Public Safety