# Department of Planning and Budget
## 2017 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. **Bill Number:** SB968

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| **House of Origin** | ☒ | Introduced | ☐ | Substitute | ☐ Engrossed |
| **Second House** | ☐ | In Committee | ☐ | Substitute | ☐ Enrolled |

2. **Patron:** Chafin

3. **Committee:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

4. **Title:** Hunting license; bear, deer, or turkey; electronic carry.

5. **Summary:** This bill removes the requirement that a license to hunt bear, deer, or turkey be carried in paper form, allowing it to be carried by electronic or computerized means.

6. **Budget Amendment Necessary**: No.

7. **Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary.

8. **Fiscal Implications:** It is anticipated that this bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries. Most hunting, fishing, and trapping licenses are allowed to be carried electronically per legislation passed during the 2015 Session. The department has now developed a program to allow hunters of bear, deer, and/or turkey to also carry electronic licenses.

9. **Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** The Department of Game and Inland Fisheries.

10. **Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

11. **Other Comments:** None.