

## Department of Planning and Budget 2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** HB206E

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

**2. Patron:** Bell, Richard P.

**3. Committee:** General Laws

**4. Title:** Exception for military and other government IDs at pawnshops

**5. Summary:** Eliminates the requirement that pawnbrokers create a digital image of the form of identification of the person pawning, pledging, or selling goods so long as that form of identification is a United States military-issued identification or other form of government identification as outlined under 18 U.S.C. § 701. The engrossed version of the bill requires that anyone presenting a military issued identification present an alternate form of photo identification or to have the pawnbroker take a photograph of the person involved in the transaction. Currently, pawnbrokers must create a digital image of all forms of identification and retain it as part of the pawn shop's records.

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

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Indeterminate. See Item 8.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The Superintendent of State Police is currently responsible for promulgating regulations specifying the nature of identifying credentials of the person pawning, pledging, or selling the goods, article, or thing. According to the Department of State Police, it does not anticipate fiscal impact on their operation as a result of this proposal.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Department of State Police.

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

**11. Other Comments:** None.