

Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2439S1

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Campbell, R.R.

3. Committee: Courts of Justice

4. Title: DNA analysis; conviction of certain crimes or similar ordinance of a locality.

5. Summary: The proposed legislation adds persons convicted of local ordinances that are similar to certain crimes listed under current law to the list of persons from whom a blood, saliva, or tissue sample shall be taken for DNA analysis to determine identification characteristics specific to the person.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Department of Forensic Science (DFS), while it expects a small increase in the number of cases that will require DNA analysis as a result of the proposed legislation, the agency believes it can absorb the costs related to such an increase.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Forensic Science and Courts.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.