Department of Planning and Budget 2013 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB1720-H1		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Head
- 3. Committee: Not Yet Assigned
- **4. Title:** Alcoholic beverage control; proof of legal age required.
- **5. Summary:** Provides that any person convicted of selling alcoholic beverages to an individual who the seller knows or has reason to believe is younger than 21 years of age is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor. The bill also provides that any person who sells alcoholic beverages to someone less than 21 years of age and did not require identification proving the individual to be 21 years of age at time of sale shall be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor violation. The bill excludes student identification cards as bona fide evidence of legal age.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary; See Item 8 below.
- **8.** Fiscal Implications: The proposed legislation does not appear to have a fiscal impact since the substitute legislation establishes a new Class 3 misdemeanor (which could result in a fine up to \$500 being assessed for a violation).
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Local and regional jails statewide, State Compensation Board, local and state law enforcement agencies.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

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