

Department of Planning and Budget

2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB597

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: Carr

3. Committee: Rules

4. Title: Mechanical devices designed to increase the rate of fire of firearms; penalty.

5. Summary: Prohibits the manufacture, import, sale or offer to sell, possession, transfer, or transportation of any device, including a trigger crank or a bump-fire device, used to increase the rate of fire of any semi-automatic firearm beyond the capability of an unaided person to operate the trigger mechanism of that firearm. A violation is punishable as a Class 3 misdemeanor.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

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

8. Fiscal Implications: A Class 3 misdemeanor is punishable by a fine of up to \$500. All revenue collected from such fines is deposited into the Literary Fund. However, it is not possible to estimate either the number of convictions that may result or the amount of each fine that may be assessed under this legislation. Therefore, the impact of this bill cannot be determined.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: None

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None

11. Other Comments: None