Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number: HB2666
	House of Origin
	Second House
2.	Patron: Bell, Robert B.
3.	Committee: Committee Courts of Justice
4.	Title: Department of Criminal Justice Services; training standards and model policies for law enforcement.
5.	Summary: Requires the Department of Criminal Justice Services to establish training standards and publish and periodically update model policies for law-enforcement personnel for sensitivity to and awareness of persons experiencing behavioral health or substance abuse crises.
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes. Item 392.
7.	Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Item 8 below).
8.	Fiscal Implications: The proposed legislation requires the Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) to establish training standards, publish such standards, and periodically update model policies for law-enforcement personnel regarding sensitivity to and awareness of persons experiencing behavioral health or substance abuse crises. DCJS reports that the proposed legislation would have a one-time cost of approximately \$20,000 to secure the services of subject matter experts to guide the development of appropriate training standards reflective of best practices and industry standards for the two criteria identified in the proposed legislation.
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Criminal Justice Services.
10.	Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None