

Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB1235

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: DeSteph

3. Committee: Transportation

4. Title: Vehicle inspector certification; criminal history.

5. Summary: Prohibits the Superintendent of State Police from barring an individual from being certified as a vehicle safety inspector solely because he has previously been convicted of a criminal offense, provided that he (i) is not currently incarcerated, on probation, or under post-release supervision; and (ii) he has been free from any term of incarceration, has been employed as a mechanic, and has not been convicted of any criminal offense for a period of at least three years prior to the date of application.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

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

8. Fiscal Implications: The Department of State Police (VSP) administers aspects of the vehicle safety inspection program, sets regulations, and certifies stations to perform safety inspections. According to VSP, the proposed legislation is not anticipated to have a fiscal impact on their operations.

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

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.