

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 54th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB2614
Version:	CCR
Request Number:	10982
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Impact:	Savings in Prison Costs

Research Analysis

Not required.

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Fiscal Analysis

The CCR for HB2614 changes the crime of unlawful possession of a handgun for persons in possession of a valid handgun license from a felony to a misdemeanor. Currently, persons convicted of this crime are charged with a felony and up to two years imprisonment. Any person sentenced to the custody of the Department of Corrections costs the state approximately \$49 per day for each day of incarceration. The savings would be dependent upon the number of adjudicated cases that no longer impose a prison term.

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Other Considerations

None.