

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 163
Version:	ENGR
Request Number:	
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Impact:	Expands scope of a felony

Research Analysis

SB 163 broadens the population of sex offenders required to report to the statewide centralized hotline of the Department of Human Services. Current law specifies that the offender be the parent, stepparent, or grandparent of a minor before they are required to report to the hotline. The measure requires any sex offender residing with a minor child to contact the Department of Human Services within 3 days of intention to reside with a minor child.

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Fiscal Analysis

SB 163, by broadening the population of sex offenders required to report, expands the scope of the felony offense of failing to do so. The offense is punishable by incarceration in Dept. of Corrections' custody (DOC) from 1 to 3 years. The actual impact is dependent upon how many more individuals are convicted. Currently, the average cost for DOC to incarcerate one inmate is \$58.70/day or \$21,425.50/year.

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Other Considerations

None.