Bill Summary

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Bill Analysis

SB 1197 modifies the penalties for possessing Methamphetamine. Any person convicted of possessing Methamphetamine shall be subject to a term of imprisonment not to exceed 1 year and/or a fine of up to \$2,000.00. A person convicted of a second offense within one year of the previous conviction shall receive up to 5 years imprisonment and/or be subject to a fine that shall not exceed \$5,000.00. A person convicted of a third offense shall receive up to 10 years imprisonment and/or be subject to a fine that shall not exceed \$10,000.00. Third and subsequent convictions are felonies.

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Fiscal Analysis

FY'21 Impact: Depends on convictions and sentencing

Full Year Impact: Depends on convictions and sentencing

Introduced—modifies penalties for possessing Methamphetamine. FY'19 daily costs per inmate at DOC: \$90.48 (max security), \$52.35 (med security). \$48.19 (min security) \$49.41 (community level). These amounts were provided by DOC and include all direct, indirect, and medical costs.

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