

**Bill Summary**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB 244</b>
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 244 removes the five day notification requirement related to county prisons transferring a prisoner to the custody of the Department of Corrections. If the Department receives the judgement and sentence documents after five days, the Department will still be responsible for compensating the county jail that housed the inmate. The measure also requires the Department to establish a dedicated electronic address to receive all electronically submitted judgment and sentence documents.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

FY'20 Impact: Potential costs to DOC will be determined by the number of days it takes to transfer inmates to DOC facilities after each sentencing.

SB 244 removes the five day notification requirement related to county prisons transferring a prisoner to the custody of the Department of Corrections. DOC currently reimburses county jails to house inmates after judgment and sentencing at a rate of \$27 a day per inmate.