

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 1114
Version:	Introduced
Request Number:	5606
Author:	Rep. West, Rick
Date:	2/5/2021
Impact:	DOC: FY-22 minimal; possible health care costs in future years

Research Analysis

HB 1114 would allow the Department of Corrections to sell tobacco products in its facilities and directs for the creation of outdoor smoking areas.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1114, as introduced, upon review and with consultation from the Department of Corrections (DOC), is determined to have a minimal fiscal and revenue impact on the agency. DOC estimates the agency will be able to absorb the costs of creating outdoor smoking areas and the revenue from sales of tobacco products will be minimal as inmates have caps on the amounts they are allowed to spend.

There is potential for future costs regarding health care due to inmate smoking. The exact cost is not quantifiable at this time: the ultimate impact will depend on how many inmates choose to smoke and use tobacco products.

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Other Considerations

None.