

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 2972
Version:	Committee Substitute
Request Number:	10800
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Impact:	No direct fiscal impact anticipated

Research Analysis

The CS to HB 2972 adds physician assistants and advanced practice registered nurses to the list of medical personnel authorized to provide a medical exemption from jury duty for a prospective juror. The measure also includes a student currently enrolled and attending classes or exams at an institution of higher education to the list of individuals that can make a request to be exempt from jury duty.

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Fiscal Analysis

The committee substitute would add physician assistants and advanced practice registered nurses to the list of individuals that can provide a medical release for prospective jurors. The substitute also would exempt students currently enrolled at an institution of higher education from jury service.

Upon review, no direct fiscal impact is anticipated from passage of the measure.

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Other Considerations

None.