

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 59th Legislature

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| Bill No.: | SB1735 |
| Version: | CS |
| Request Number: | 10851 |
| Author: | Rep. O'Donnell |
| Date: | 4/22/2024 |
| Impact: | AOC: Revenue positive |
| | State Budget: No material impact |

Research Analysis

The CS to SB 1735 provides that it is a misdemeanor crime for any person, with the intent to commit a crime, to enter an area of a commercial business that is commonly reserved for personnel of the business where money or other property is kept, or which is clearly marked that indicates to the public that entry is forbidden. Punishment is up to 1 year in the county jail, a fine of up to \$500 or both fine and imprisonment. A second or subsequent conviction is a felony punishable by up to 2 years in prison, a fine of up to \$1,000 or both fine and imprisonment.

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Fiscal Analysis

The CS to this measure expands the scope of burglary in the second degree to include entering into a restricted area of a commercial building without authorization. The penalties range from misdemeanor to felony depending on offense, with a sentence of imprisonment of not more than 2 years, or a fine of not more than \$1,000, or both such fine and imprisonment. In its current form, SB1735 may generate some revenues for the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC), but is not anticipated to have a material impact on state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.