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Fiscal Analysis

HB 2236 would increase the amount that can be disbursed from the Sexual Assault Examination Fund for reimbursing patient sexual assault examination fees from \$450 to \$800. Officials with the District Attorneys Council (DAC) have provided that the current cost related to this disbursement is \$1,000,000. HB2236 roughly doubles the reimbursement rate and, in conjunction with increasing crime rates, this measure is anticipated to have an estimated \$2-2.5 million total cost, which amounts to a cost increase of \$1-1.5 million for the DAC.

FY'24 Impact: \$666,667-\$1,000,000

Full Year Impact: \$1,000,000-\$1,500,000

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