

BILL SUMMARY
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Impact: Please see previous summary of this measure	

Research Analysis

The Policy committee substitute to HB 3581 provides that the commission of assault and battery in the course of a riot is to be a Class B3 felony punishable by a term of no less than 2 years nor more than ten years imprisonment. Aggravated assault and battery in the course of a riot is to be a Class B1 felony punishable by a term of not less than 2 years nor more than 20 years imprisonment. The willful damage or vandalization of a governmental building during the course of a riot is to be a Class B3 felony punishable by not less than 2 years nor more than 10 years in prison. The wearing of a mask, hood, covering, or disguise for the purpose of concealing identity in the course of a riot is to be a Class D3 felony punishable by up to 2 years in prison, a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$2,500 or both fine and imprisonment. The punishment for the obstruction of a public street or highway is to be a Class D3 felony punishable by up to 2 years in prison, a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$5,000 or both fine and imprisonment. The measure adds felony offenses where the person has been charged with participating in a riot as an offense for which bail may be denied. The measure modifies the list of instances in which the state or political subdivision is not liable for a loss or claim that results from a riot unless the loss or claim results from instances where the state or political subdivision was aware of the dangerous condition and failed to take action.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.