

Senate Fiscal Summary

1st Session of the 60th Legislature



House Bill 1968

Version:	ENG
Agency:	Pardon & Parole Board
Senate Author:	Bullard
House Author:	Williams
FY'26 Impact:	\$308,272.53
Full Year Impact:	\$462,408.80

Bill Summary and Fiscal Analysis:

HB 1968 would establish the members of the Pardon and Parole Board as full-time salaried employees. The measure would set the members' salaries at \$85,000. The measure also modifies the language pertaining to the failure to attend Board meetings. The fiscal estimate includes the following:

- \$308,800 increase for the salaries of the board members
- \$111,000 increase for the benefits of the board members
- \$42,408.80 maximum estimate for additional office space/new lease

The Pardon and Parole Board has stated concerns that this change could hinder the retention of current board members, as well as the appointment of future members.

Fiscal Impact provided by the Pardon & Parole Board and Fiscal Staff