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Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 02/03/16.

XXX	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to new information or technical issues
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to amendment adopted after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

The Judiciary Committee Report (02/18/16) includes amendments to the bill, however, Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that the committee amendments do not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
J.001	Staff-prepared appropriation amendment

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill requires but does not contain an appropriation clause.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

J.001 Staff has prepared amendment J.001 (attached), which adds a five year sentencing clause to the bill as required by Section 2-2-703, C.R.S. The clause contains the following statutory appropriations to the Department of Corrections for FY 2016-17 through FY 2020-21. Because the state currently places additional offenders in private prisons and private prisons have substantial excess capacity, the clause does not include an appropriation for capital construction costs.

Fiscal Year	Statutory General Fund Appropriation to the Department of Corrections
FY 2016-17	\$0
FY 2017-18	43,727
FY 2018-19	87,454
FY 2019-20	131,181
FY 2020-21	170,900
Total	\$433,262

Points to Consider

Future Fiscal Impact

Although this bill does not require a General Fund appropriation for FY 2016-17, it requires General Fund appropriations totaling \$433,262 for FY 2017-18 through FY 2020-21.