

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	07-3576/1	Introduction Number	AB-0913	Estimate Type	Original
Description Exposure and minors and providing a penalty					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

AB 913 increases the penalty for a person who exposes or causes a child to expose his or her genitals for sexual arousal or sexual gratification

Violation of s. 948.10(1), Stats. is currently classified as a Class A misdemeanor. Under AB 913, this crime would be classified as a Class I felony.

Felony proceedings generally require additional court appearances and more court hearings than misdemeanors. Additional court proceedings require judge, court reporter, court staff and juror time. These costs are borne by the state and the county. An accurate estimate of the increased costs is impossible with existing data, but it is expected that existing court staff would absorb it.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications