



**Fiscal Estimate Narratives**

**DA 2/2/2009**

LRB Number <b>09-1130/1</b>	Introduction Number <b>SB-014</b>	Estimate Type <b>Original</b>
<b>Description</b> The definition of sexual intercourse for the crime of incest		

**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

DAs view this bill as a modest adjustment to the definitions of what qualifies for filing charges of criminal incest. The definition will enable more criminal prosecutions of this statute; however, it is not estimated to increase any caseloads. These crimes, commonly involving children, would otherwise be charged under other subsections of Chapter 948. This bill will enable prosecutors to more appropriately charge and label these offenders, improve how children are questioned at trial, and accordingly should not pose any measurable fiscal impact on the DA program.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

No long-range fiscal impact is anticipated.