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Bill Number: H. 3227 Introduced on January 10, 2023
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Subject: Status Offenses
Requestor: Senate Judiciary
RFA Analyst(s): Gardner
Impact Date: April 16, 2024

Fiscal Impact Summary

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Explanation of Fiscal Impact

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State Expenditure

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State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

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