

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS
HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING ALLOWING PERSONS WHO WERE CONVICTED OF MISDEMEANORS FOR MARIJUANA-RELATED BEHAVIORS THAT ARE NO LONGER ILLEGAL TO PETITION FOR THE SEALING OF CRIMINAL RECORDS RELATING TO SUCH CONVICTIONS.

Prime Sponsors: Reps. Hooton and Melton
Sens. Fenberg and Marble

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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 03/27/17.

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

The House Judiciary Committee Report (04/27/17) and the House Finance Committee Report (05/01/17) include 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
None.	

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill neither requires nor contains an appropriation clause for FY 2017-18.

Points to Consider

TABOR/ Excess State Revenues Impact

The Joint Budget Committee has proposed a budget package for FY 2017-18 based on the March 2017 Legislative Council Staff revenue forecast. This bill is projected to increase cash fund revenues by \$122,119 for FY 2017-18, which would increase the amount required to be refunded under TABOR based on this revenue forecast. As TABOR refunds are paid from the General Fund, this bill would reduce the amount of General Fund available for other purposes.