## **Department of Fiscal Services**

Maryland General Assembly

# FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 879 (Prince George's County Delegation) Judiciary

#### Prince George's County - Sheriff's Department - Evaluation PG 319-96

This bill requires the Department of Fiscal Services to study the budget, organization, personnel, structure, and services of the Prince George's County Sheriff's Department. Fiscal Services must submit a report to the General Assembly by October 1, 1996.

This bill is effective July 1, 1996.

## **Fiscal Summary**

State Effect: None, as discussed below.

Local Effect: None.

## **Fiscal Analysis**

**State Expenditures:** It is estimated that such a study would involve 45 days of staff time and would include costs for travel, communications, and publishing. Existing staff would have to be diverted from other duties involving service to the General Assembly to conduct such a study. Any costs, however, would be absorbed within Fiscal Services' fiscal 1997 appropriation.

**Information Source(s):** Department of Fiscal Services

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