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**FISCAL NOTE**  
**Revised**

Senate Bill 301 (Senator Miller. *et al.*)

Judicial Proceedings

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**Criminal Procedure - Charging Document - Emergency Services Personnel**

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This bill adds “emergency services personnel” to the occupations for which a State’s Attorney must investigate an application for a statement of charges for an offense allegedly committed in the course of executing the duties of the emergency services personnel. A statement of charges for such an offense may not be filed until the State’s Attorney has investigated and made recommendations to the District Court Commissioner.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. It is assumed that the inclusion of emergency services personnel under these largely procedural provisions would not materially affect State finances.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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**Information Source(s):** Judiciary (District Court), Department of Legislative Services

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