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FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 38 (Chairman, Judicial Proceedings Committee)
(Departmental - State Police)

Judicial Proceedings

Handgun Permits - Law Enforcement Exception

This departmental bill adds full-time assistant sheriffs' deputies and part-time sheriffs' deputies to the list of law enforcement officers exempt from State handgun permit requirements relating to wearing, carrying, or transporting handguns when they are on active law enforcement assignment so long as the handgun is a duly authorized piece of official equipment.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The bill would not materially affect State finances. The initial handgun registration fee is \$75 and the annual renewal fee is \$50.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: The Department of State Police has determined that this bill has minimal or no impact on small business (attached). Legislative Services concurs with this assessment.

Information Source(s): Department of State Police, Department of Legislative Services

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