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AN ACT CONCERNING REVISIONS TO VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNING JUROR COMPENSATION, IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICES, THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SALARIES AND CRIMINAL LAW AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.

AMENDMENT

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OFA Fiscal Note

Minimal Fiscal Impact

The amendment, which allows peace officers to stop motor vehicles for the sole purpose of a cannabis violation when they reasonably believe an occupant of a vehicle is a minor, results in a potential cost to the Judicial Department for incarceration or probation and a potential revenue gain to the General Fund from fines. On average, the marginal cost for supervision in the community is less than \$800¹ each year for adults and \$1,000 each year for juveniles.

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¹Probation marginal cost is based on services provided by private providers and only includes costs that increase with each additional participant. This does not include a cost for additional supervision by a probation officer unless a new offense is anticipated to result in enough additional offenders to require additional probation officers.