

BDR 3-871

SB 187

EXECUTIVE AGENCY FISCAL NOTE

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: February 28, 2015

Agency Submitting: Nevada Department of Corrections

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2014-15	Fiscal Year 2015-16	Fiscal Year 2016-17	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

The Nevada Department of Corrections has reviewed BDR 3-871, and this bill increases the penalty for violation of NRS 33.031 from a gross misdemeanor to a category B felony (protection against domestic violence requiring the person to refrain from owning, possessing, purchasing, etc. a firearm). It will be a B felony for a person who was convicted of a crime that constitutes domestic violence in Nevada or out of state and for a person convicted of stalking in Nevada or out of state to possess, transfer, or own a firearm. The NDOC research staff searched its current and historical records and was unable to find data that could be used as proxies to estimate how many persons are likely to violate the requirements of an order of protection against domestic violence or stalking. There are several offenders, however, incarcerated for unlawful possession of a firearms due to their ex-felon backgrounds. The proposed law expands the universe of persons who could be convicted of a felony under Chapter 33 of NRS and NRS 202.360 which could result in a direct proportional increase in the size of the prison population. Nevertheless, the impact cannot be estimated with precision at this time due to the lack of baseline data.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION'S COMMENTS

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The agency's response appears reasonable.

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