

**EXECUTIVE AGENCY**  
**FISCAL NOTE**

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: February 1, 2017

Agency Submitting: Nevada Department of Corrections

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2016-17	Fiscal Year 2017-18	Fiscal Year 2018-19	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

The Nevada Department of Corrections (NDOC) has reviewed BDR 15-380 which makes proposed revisions to NRS 201.354 related to incorporating sex and human trafficking laws, as regards to minors who are under the age of 14. In addition, the proposed law makes revisions to NRS 49.2541 related to adding that a person who is involuntarily induced into prostitution or human trafficking is a victim of crime and shall be included in the list established by NRS 49.2544. As established by NRS 201.300, it is unlawful to solicit a child for prostitution; and when the victim is less than 14 years of age, the violation is punishable as a category A felony with life in prison with the possibility of parole after 15 years. The addition of persons affected by the effects of human trafficking to the list of victims of crime in NRS 49.2544 should not have an adverse effect on the caseload managed by the Victims Services Office. However, it is assumed that the change to the law would increase the NDOC inmate population. Based on current language the increase of the proposed statute change, the NDOC is unable to forecast the increase, if any, in the number of offenders admitted to the NDOC system at this time. As a result, the fiscal impact of this proposed law cannot be quantified at this time.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION'S COMMENTS

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The agency's response appears reasonable.

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