BDR 16-940
SB 284

EXECUTIVE AGENCY

FISCAL NOTE

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: March 21, 2023

Agency Submitting: Department of Corrections

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2022-23	Fiscal Year 2023-24	Fiscal Year 2024-25	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation (Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

The bill indicates that certain offenders would only be eligible to be housed at minimum security institutions, if the offender was eligible for parole or release from prison within a reasonable period of time. This could increase the number of offenders housed in higher cost medium custody facilities and could also extend the length of those offenders' sentences as they would not earn credits at the same rate as they would in minimum custody. NDOC currently has 22 offenders that are in custody for violations related to the provisions in SB 284 (BDR 16-940); 3 of which were directly housed at a minimum security institutions. However, NDOC is unable to determine the number of offenders that would need to be housed at a medium security institutions rather than a minimum security institutions in the future, if this bill were enacted. Therefore, the fiscal impact cannot be determined.

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF FINANCE COMMENTS

Date Tuesday, March 21, 2023

The agency's response appears reasonable.

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