

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS26399

This is an FY 2019 trailer appropriation bill for the Public Defense Commission. It addresses the fiscal impact of S1257, which adds two additional commission members to the seven-member commission, one additional representative from the Idaho Association of Counties and one additional defending attorney. Assuming the new members will be non-local members, the commission estimates that the associated travel costs will amount to approximately \$415 per meeting per member for 12 meetings per year.

FISCAL NOTE

This bill provides an additional appropriation of \$10,000 in ongoing operating expenditures from the General Fund to the Public Defense Commission for FY 2019.

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