STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS24727

Appropriates an additional \$222,300 from the General Fund to the Idaho State Police for the Forensic Services Program for fiscal year 2017; and authorizes an additional three (3) full-time equivalent positions.

FISCAL NOTE

This legislation appropriates an additional \$222,300 from the General Fund to the Idaho State Police for the Forensic Services Program; and authorizes an additional three (3) full-time equivalent positions to implement the provisions of House Bill No. 528, as enacted by the Second Regular Session of the Sixty-third Idaho Legislature. That legislation created and codified systems used by law enforcement, health care facilities, and the Idaho State Police Forensics Laboratory in the processing of sexual assault evidence kits in the State of Idaho. It also created a system of tracking and reporting, and that an annual audit and report about the collection of evidence and testing be provided to the Idaho Legislature.



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