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SB721 AS REPORTED WITH AMENDMENT(S)

Sponsor: Sen. Valde Garcia

Committee: CRIMINAL JUSTICE

SB722 SUBSTITUTE
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Sponsor: Sen. Mike Goschka

Committee: CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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State Fiscal Impact

Cost: Please See Below
Revenues: Please See Below

Local Fiscal Impact

Cost: Please See Below
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Senate Bill 721 would amend 1925 PA 289, which provides for fingerprinting and recordkeeping on certain offenders, to apply fingerprinting and recordkeeping requirements to individuals convicted of criminal contempt involving a personal protection order. The bill could result in significant costs related to taking and forwarding fingerprints for all law enforcement agencies and processing and maintaining additional criminal history record information for the Department of State Police. No data exists on the number of individuals arrested for criminal contempt under the relevant sections of the Revised Judicature Act annually, however, so the potential increase in costs is indeterminate.

Senate Bill 722 is a companion measure that would require court clerks to notify the Department of State Police regarding final dispositions of charges of criminal contempt involving personal protection orders. The bill could increase administrative burdens for court clerks, but any fiscal impact would be limited.