

FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 248

Committee: Judiciary Sponsor: Senator Will Barfoot

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Senate Bill 248 as introduced reconstitutes the Board of Pardons and Paroles as the Bureau of Pardons and Paroles and reorganizes the duties and functions of the Bureau as well as the duties of the Board of Pardons and Paroles within the Bureau.

In addition, this bill could (1) increase the obligations of the Department of Corrections by an estimated \$28 for each day a parolee remains in a county jail past the 20 business day window provided by current law, due to a delay in holding a parole violation hearing as provided by this bill; and (2) decrease the future obligations of the Bureau, by an undetermined amount, dependent upon the number of inmates released on parole that would no longer require electronic monitoring, as provided by the provisions of this bill.