

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 1567
Version:	Committee Substitute
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Impact:	Budget Neutral

Research Analysis

HB 1567 classifies the violation of the Trafficking in Illegal Drugs Act with respect to mixtures or substances containing the following:

- 28 grams or more of heroin is deemed aggravated trafficking punishable by a fine of not less than \$50,000 and not more than \$500,000;
- one gram or more of LSD is deemed trafficking punishable by a prison sentence not to exceed 20 years and a fine of not less than \$50,000 and not more than \$100,000;
- 10 grams or more of LSD is deemed aggravated trafficking punishable by a prison sentence of not less than two years nor more than life and a fine of not less than \$100,000 and not more than \$250,000;
- 20 grams or more of PCP is deemed trafficking punishable by a prison sentence not to exceed 20 years and a fine of not less than \$20,000 and not more than \$50,000;
- 150 grams or more of PCP is deemed aggravated trafficking punishable by a prison sentence of not less than two years nor more than life and a fine of not less than \$50,000 and not more than \$250,000;
- one gram or more of fentanyl, carfentanil or any fentanyl analogs and derivatives is deemed trafficking punishable by a prison sentence not to exceed 20 years and a fine of not less than \$100,000 and not more than \$250,000; and
- five grams or more of fentanyl, carfentanil or any fentanyl analogs and derivatives is deemed aggravated trafficking punishable by a prison sentence of not less than two years nor more than life and a fine of not less than \$250,000 and not more than \$500,000.

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Fiscal Analysis

The committee substitute for HB 1567 clarifies language regarding the penalties for trafficking of various controlled substances.

Upon review and with consultation from the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, the measure is determined to be budget neutral based on existing volume and disposition of cases.

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Other Considerations

None.

