

**BILL SUMMARY**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB3960</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>INT</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	<b>9495</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>DOC: Minimal</b>
	<b>AOC: Revenue Positive</b>
	<b>State budget: No material impact</b>

**Research Analysis**

HB 3960 modifies the sentencing powers of the court to remove the ability of the court to suspend the sentence or give probation to a third or subsequent DUI offender.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

This measure removes the ability of the court to suspend sentences or give probation in third or subsequent DUI offense cases. With less suspended sentences and probations in these cases, there is the potential for more incarcerations within the Department of Corrections at a cost of \$16.60/day per inmate to be absorbed by existing budgetary resources, and for new fines and fees to be collected by the Administrative Office of the Court (AOC). Therefore, in its current form, HB3960 is not anticipated to have a material impact on state budget or appropriations.

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**Other Considerations**

None.