

**BILL SUMMARY**  
1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 59<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB859</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>ENGR</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Rep. George - Sen. Weaver</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>No negative impact</b>

**Research Analysis**

SB 859 increases the maximum term of imprisonment from 2 years to 5 years as well as the maximum fine from \$1,000.00 to \$2,500.00 for the theft of a firearm.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

This measure increases the penalties for theft of a firearm by increasing the maximum fine from \$1,000 to \$2,500 and increasing the maximum prison term from 2 years to 5 years. SB859 has the potential to increase revenues collected from this penalty and is not anticipated to have an impact on state budget or appropriations.

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**Other Considerations**

None.