

BDR 15-425 SB 38

EXECUTIVE AGENCY FISCAL NOTE

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: February 9, 2023

Agency Submitting: Department of Public Safety, Records, Communications, and Compliance

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2022-23	Fiscal Year 2023-24	Fiscal Year 2024-25	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

BDR 15-425 SB38 Revises provisions relating to offenses against children.

Section 2 provides specific statutes in which a greater penalty is provided to persons who commit sexual assault against minors. If this bill as introduced is enacted, it would require the Department of Public Safety, Records Communications and Compliance Division (RCCD), Nevada Offense Code Unit (NOC) staff to create 8 new NOCs and 8 new subtypes. However, the cumulative impact of the legislation from the 2023 session will increase the volume of NOC revisions.

Section 13 of this bill amends NRS 179D.097 "Sexual Offense" by adding three additional registerable offenses. Additionally, section 14 this bill amends NRS 179D.115 "Tier II offender" by adding the new violations to the list of offenses used to classify a sex offender as a tier level II. These changes will impact the RCCD Sex Offender Registry Unit by increasing the number of offenders who will now be required to register in Nevada for these new sexual offenses. As a Tier level II offender, these offenders will have to verify their registration information every 180 days, increasing the number of verifications needing to be processed by the Sex Offender Registration Unit staff. The number of offenders who may be required to register under these new offenses is unable to be determined since the new law would only apply to offenders whose offenses are committed on or after 10/01/2023.

The RCCD may request to return to the Interim Finance Committee in the 2023-2025 biennium should workload increases necessitate additional staffing.

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The agency's response appears reasonable.	Namo	Amy L. Stephenson	
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