

EXECUTIVE AGENCY
FISCAL NOTE

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: February 19, 2025

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

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2024-25	Fiscal Year 2025-26	Fiscal Year 2026-27	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

SB164 / BDR 15-607 AN ACT relating to firearms; increasing the period for which a permit to carry a concealed firearm remains valid; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The ATF permanent brady permit chart references that "permits qualify as alternatives to the background check requirements of the Brady law for no more than 5 years from date of issuance." If this bill as introduced is enacted, it would cancel the exemption for CCWs.

Currently, there are over 173,000 active CCW permits in the State. These permits allow the CCW carrier to be exempt from a background check. Losing this exemption would subject each CCW holder to a background check every time they transfer a firearm. The Records, Communications and Compliance Division does not have statistics on how many CCW holders transfer firearms. We expect having the CCW holders subject to background checks each time they transfer a firearm would dramatically increase the workload in the Brady POC unit. The RCCD may request to return to the Interim Finance Committee in the 2025-2027 biennium should workload increases necessitate additional staffing.

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF FINANCE COMMENTS

The agency's response appears reasonable.

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