

**Department of Planning and Budget
2003 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number SB1251

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron Stolle

3. Committee Courts of Justice

4. Title Fee for failure to appear.

5. Summary/Purpose: Increases the district court failure to appear fee by \$10, from \$10 to \$20.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are: Preliminary

6b. Revenue Impact:

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Positions</i>	<i>Fund</i>
2003-04	2,742,557	0	General Fund
2004-05	2,742,557	0	General Fund

7. Budget amendment necessary: No

8. Fiscal implications: According to the Supreme Court, during the 2002 calendar year, collections for failure to appear were \$2.7 million. This legislation would double the failure to appear fee resulting in approximately \$2.7 million in additional general fund revenue per year.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Court System

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: The substitute bill reduces the fiscal impact from the introduced bill. The Senate included \$2.8 million assumed revenue from this legislation in the Senate amendment package.

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