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FISCAL NOTE

FISCAL IMPACT: ☒ State ☐ Local ☐ Statutory Public Entity ☐ Conditional ☐ No Fiscal In

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BILL TOPIC: REPORTING REQUIREMENTS BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fiscal Impact Summary

State Revenue

State Expenditures

Workload reduction.

State Appropriations: None.

Future Year Impacts: None.

Summary of Legislation

This bill, **recommended by the Statutory Revision Committee**, continues indefinitely the requirement that the Department of Public Safety (DPS) prepare a written report concerning:

- best practices for the treatment and management of adult sex offenders and juveniles who have committed sexual offenses;
- the lifetime supervision of sex offenders; and
- the number of assaults related to and deaths caused directly by domestic violence.

The bill repeals the requirement that the DPS prepare a written report concerning:

- the monitoring and evaluation of the youthful offender system;
- the receipt of proceeds from forfeited property to the Colorado Bureau of Investigations (CBI);
- the number of FTE and fee calculations used by CBI to perform certain criminal history background checks;
- changes to value based crimes based on a five-year history of inflationary changes; and
- the effect on parole outcomes, and the use of money allocated pursuant to state law allowing certain parolees to be placed in a community return-to-custody facility, rather than a state correctional facility.

State Expenditures

The bill reduces the workload of the Division of Criminal Justice in the Department of Public Safety by eliminating the requirement that the division monitor and evaluate the youthful offender system and report its findings every two years. The bill also eliminates the requirement that the division prepare a recurring five-year report on value-based crimes and paroll outcomes. The remaining statutory changes in this bill either modify language in the statutes to align with current practice, or eliminate obsolete language.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect August 9, 2017, if the General Assembly adjourns on May 10, 2017, as scheduled, and no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

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