

Department of Planning and Budget 2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB392

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| House of Origin | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Introduced | <input type="checkbox"/> | Substitute | <input type="checkbox"/> | Engrossed |
| Second House | <input type="checkbox"/> | In Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> | Substitute | <input type="checkbox"/> | Enrolled |

2. Patron: Surovell

3. Committee: Senate Committee on the Judiciary

4. Title: Copies of orders to counsel

5. Summary: The proposed bill provides that the clerk of the court shall provide a copy of the appointment order of a qualified expert to an indigent defendant or his attorney and to the appointed expert. The bill also provides that the chief judge of each juvenile and domestic relations district court may provide for an alternative means of copying and distributing certain juvenile investigative reports or evaluations to counsel.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Item #8)

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court, the proposed bill is not expected to have a material fiscal impact on court operations.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Courts

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None