

Fiscal Note 2027 Biennium

Bill#/Title: SB0485.01: Generally revise laws related to incarceration								
Primary Sponsor:	Ellie Boldman		Status:	As Introduced				
☐ Included in the Executive Budget		⊠ Needs to be included in HB 2		☐ Significant Local Gov Impact				
☑ Significant Long-Term Impacts		☐ Technical Concerns		☐ Dedicated Revenue Form Attached				
FISCAL SUMMARY								
		FY 2026 Difference	FY 2027 Difference	FY 2028 Difference	FY 2029 Difference			
Expenditures General Fund (01)		\$764,234	\$764,234	\$775,698	\$787,333			
Revenues General Fund (01)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0			
Net Impact General Fund B	alance	(\$764,234)	(\$764,234)	(\$775,698)	(\$787,333)			

Description of fiscal impact

SB 485 would require all correctional facilities operated by or contracted with the DOC to provide the following items to offenders at no cost, upon request: soap, toilet paper, toothbrush, toothpaste, comb, feminine hygiene products, letter envelopes, writing paper, and postage stamps.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions

Department of Corrections (DOC)

- 1. DOC assumes a population of 3,358 incarcerated persons.
- 2. DOC assumes average item costs as outlined below:
 - a. Soap: 24 units per offender per year x \$0.83 per unit for a total of \$67,160.
 - b. Toothbrush: 12 units per offender per year x \$0.27 per unit for a total of \$11,008
 - c. Toothpaste: 24 units per offender per year x \$0.58 per unit for a total of \$47,028
 - d. Comb: 3 units per offender per year x \$0.04 per unit for a total of \$425
 - e. Letter Envelopes: 192 units per offender per year x \$0.12 per unit for a total of \$79,044
 - f. Writing Paper: 384 units per offender per year x \$0.03 per unit for a total of \$43,842
 - g. Postage Stamps: 192 units per offender per year x \$0.80 per unit for a total of \$515,724
 - h. The annual cost for all items would be \$764,234 in FY 2026 and FY 2027.
- 3. DOC assumes an inflationary factor of 1.5% making the total \$775,697 in FY 2027 and \$787,333 in FY 2029.

Fiscal Analysis Table

Department of Corrections

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	FY 2026 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2027 Difference	FY 2028 Difference	FY 2029 Difference				
Fiscal Impact								
Expenditures								
Operating Expenses	\$764,234	\$764,234	\$775,698	\$787,333				
TOTAL Expenditures	\$764,234	\$764,234	\$775,698	\$787,333				
Funding of Expenditures								
General Fund (01)	\$764,234	\$764,234	\$775,698	\$787,333				
TOTAL Funding of Expenditures	\$764,234	\$764,234	\$775,698	\$787,333				
Revenues								
Net Impact to Fund Balance (Revenue minus Funding of Expenditures)								
General Fund (01)	(\$764,234)	(\$764,234)	(\$775,698)	(\$787,333)				

NO SPONSOR SIGNATURE

Sponsor's Initials

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Date

Budget Director's Initials

3/3/2025

Date