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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6098

BILL NUMBER: SB 60

NOTE PREPARED: Nov 6, 2009

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Judicial Computer Systems Commission.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Steele

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: This bill creates the Judicial Computer Systems Commission to evaluate court and law enforcement computer systems and the Judicial Technology and Automation Project.

(The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Sentencing Policy Study Committee.)

Effective Date: July 1, 2010.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This bill establishes a 20-member study commission consisting of eight legislators, two judges, two sheriffs, two county clerks, one prosecuting attorney, two attorneys, and three state employees. Assuming this commission operates under the policies governing study committees adopted by the Legislative Council, budgets for interim study committees in the past have been in the amount of \$16,500 per interim for committees with 16 members or more.

Background: The Judicial Technology and Automation Project is a long-range strategy for technology and automation in Indiana's judicial system, including possible approaches for funding and implementation as well as the development of standards for judicial information case management systems, judicial data processing, electronic filing, deployment and use of judicial information on the Internet, and for all related technologies used in the courts.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Legislative Council.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: <http://www.in.gov/judiciary/jtac/about.html>

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