

# **PRISON/JAIL POPULATION COST ESTIMATE STATEMENT**

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## **Senate Bill 183**

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An Act to declare certain contract provisions regarding abortion as deceptive acts or practices.

A prison/jail population cost estimate statement is required for amendment 183F for SB183 because any attempt to coerce or compel a woman to have an abortion would become a Class 1 misdemeanor. A subsequent offense would be a Class 6 felony.

Currently, it is a criminal offense if a person successfully coerces or compels a women to have an abortion with threats of certain crimes. However, the number of people that attempt to coerce or compel women to have an abortion against the women's wishes cannot be quantified.

For these reasons, there may be some impact on prison and jail costs, but it cannot be determined at this time.

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