

PRISON/JAIL POPULATION COST ESTIMATE STATEMENT
 NINETY-THIRD SESSION
 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY 2018

SENATE BILL NO. 63wb

AN ACT TO REVISE CERTAIN PROHIBITIONS REGARDING METHAMPHETAMINES
 AND TO CREATE A MANDATORY PENALTY FOR A VIOLATION THEREOF.

A prison/jail population cost estimate statement is required for SB63wb due to adding the additional criteria of more than five grams of methamphetamine being manufactured, distributed, or possessed for a person to be convicted under SB 63wb. Under the previous version of the bill, there was no required amount of methamphetamine in order for a person to be convicted under SB 63.

Currently, South Dakota does not track convictions based on the amount of grams of methamphetamine involved. However, if one-third of the cases met the additional criteria of more than five grams of methamphetamine, the following table is the Legislative Research Council's estimate of the prison and jail costs associated with SB 63wb:

	Distribution to Minor (Prison)		Manufacture, Distribution or Possession w/3+ Related Criteria (Prison)		Manufacture, Distribution or Possession (Prison)		Manufacture, Distribution or Possession (Jail)		TOTAL
	Convictions	Added Cost	Convictions	Added Cost	Convictions	Added Cost	Convictions	Added Cost	
Cost/day		\$74.83		\$74.83		\$58.58		\$89.73	
Year 1	1	\$0	1	\$0	21	\$0	1.4	\$5,527	\$5,527
Year 2	0	\$12,294	0	\$13,664	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$145,031
Year 3	0	\$27,313	0	\$27,313	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$173,699
Year 4	0	\$27,313	1	\$27,313	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$173,699
Year 5	1	\$27,313	0	\$16,732	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$163,118
Year 6	0	\$39,607	0	\$27,313	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$185,993
Year 7	0	\$53,507	1	\$27,313	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$199,893
Year 8	0	\$27,313	0	\$16,732	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$163,118
Year 9	1	\$27,313	0	\$27,313	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$173,699
Year 10	0	\$39,607	1	\$27,313	21	\$113,546	1.4	\$5,527	\$185,993
10-year Total:		\$281,579		\$211,006		\$1,021,911		\$55,274	
10-Year Prison Cost:		\$1,514,495							
10-Year Jail Cost:		\$55,274							

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