

# SENATE BILL REPORT

## SB 5813

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As of February 16, 2011

**Title:** An act relating to increasing fee assessments for prostitution crimes.

**Brief Description:** Increasing fee assessments for prostitution crimes.

**Sponsors:** Senators Kohl-Welles, Hargrove, Regala and Shin.

**Brief History:**

**Committee Activity:** Human Services & Corrections: 2/17/11.

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### SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES & CORRECTIONS

**Staff:** Jennifer Strus (786-7316)

**Background:** A person who is convicted, given a deferred sentence, deferred prosecution, or who has entered into a statutory or non-statutory diversion agreement as a result of an arrest for patronizing a prostitute or a comparable county or municipal ordinance must be assessed a \$150 fee.

A person who is convicted, given a deferred sentence, deferred prosecution, or who has entered into a statutory or non-statutory diversion agreement as a result of an arrest for promoting prostitution in the second or third degree or comparable county or municipal ordinance must be assessed a \$300 fee.

**Summary of Bill:** A person who is convicted, given a deferred sentence, deferred prosecution, or who has entered into a statutory or non-statutory diversion agreement as a result of an arrest for patronizing a prostitute or a comparable county or municipal ordinance must be assessed a \$3,000 fee.

A person who is convicted, given a deferred sentence, deferred prosecution, or who has entered into a statutory or non-statutory diversion agreement as a result of an arrest for promoting prostitution in the second or third degree or comparable county or municipal ordinance must be assessed a \$5,000 fee.

**Appropriation:** None.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

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**Committee/Commission/Task Force Created:** No.

**Effective Date:** Ninety days after adjournment of session in which bill is passed.