



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF  
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

## Fiscal Note 2021 Biennium

**Bill #** HB0477

**Title:** Enact child access prevention and education laws

**Primary Sponsor:** Funk, Moffie

**Status:** As Introduced

- Significant Local Gov Impact     
  Needs to be included in HB 2     
  Technical Concerns  
 Included in the Executive Budget     
  Significant Long-Term Impacts     
  Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

### FISCAL SUMMARY

	<u>FY 2020 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2021 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2022 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2023 Difference</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
General Fund	\$25,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
<b>Revenue:</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Net Impact-General Fund Balance:</b>	<u>(\$25,000)</u>	<u>(\$5,000)</u>	<u>(\$5,000)</u>	<u>(\$5,000)</u>

**Description of fiscal impact:** HB 477 requires the Office of Public Instruction (OPI) to develop and maintain model school district policies and procedures for firearms safety education, creates a criminal offense “leaving a firearm accessible to a child”, establishes a fine of up to \$1,000 for persons convicted of this offense, and requires firearms dealers to display a sign on their premises notifying the public of the new offense. The cost for FY 2020 would be \$25,000 and \$5,000 in FY 2021 and beyond.

### FISCAL ANALYSIS

#### Assumptions:

#### **Office of Public Instruction (OPI)**

1. HB 477 requires the Office of Public Instruction (OPI) to develop and maintain model school district policies and procedures for firearms safety education.
2. The OPI does not have any staff with expertise in the area of firearms safety education. In order to comply with the requirements of the bill for developing and maintaining the policies, the OPI would contract with a company or individual to perform these duties. The cost is estimated at \$25,000 in the first year and \$5,000/yr thereafter.

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<b><u>Fiscal Impact:</u></b>				
<b><u>Expenditures:</u></b>				
Operating Expenses	\$25,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
<b>TOTAL Expenditures</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<b><u>Funding of Expenditures:</u></b>				
General Fund (01)	\$25,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
<b>TOTAL Funding of Exp.</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<b><u>Revenues:</u></b>				
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>TOTAL Revenues</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b><u>Net Impact to Fund Balance (Revenue minus Funding of Expenditures):</u></b>				
General Fund (01)	(\$25,000)	(\$5,000)	(\$5,000)	(\$5,000)

**Technical Notes:**

- Section 2 of the bill indicates there would be a \$1,000 fine for persons convicted of leaving a firearm accessible to a child. It is unclear where the funds would be deposited and what agency is responsible for collection.

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