Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement

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Bill Number: HB454 ER **Patron:** Willett
Bill Title: Department of Criminal Justice Services; powers and duties; local and regional jails; repeal of model addiction recovery program.

Bill Summary: Removes the requirement that the Department of Criminal Justice Services, in consultation with the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services, develop a model addiction recovery program that may be administered by sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, jail officers, administrators, or superintendents in any local or regional jail. This bill is a recommendation of the Joint Commission on Health Care.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No **Items Impacted:** N/A
Explanation: N/A

Fiscal Summary: This bill is not expected to have a material fiscal impact on state agencies.

Fiscal Analysis: According to the Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS), the proposed legislation is not expected to have a material fiscal impact on agency operations.

The proposal removes a requirement for the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) to consult with DCJS on the development of the model program. Removal of this requirement is not expected to have a material fiscal impact on DBHDS.

Other: Companion bill to SB690