



**SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**  
**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**  
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**Bill Number:** H. 3653      As amended by House Judiciary on February 11, 2016  
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**Subject:** Law Enforcement Officer Transfers  
**Requestor:** Senate Judiciary  
**RFA Analyst(s):** Gardner and Wren  
**Impact Date:** February 17, 2016

**Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

	<b>FY 2016-17</b>	<b>FY 2017-18</b>
<b>State Expenditure</b>		
General Fund	Undetermined	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
<b>State Revenue</b>		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
<b>Local Expenditure</b>	Undetermined	\$0
<b>Local Revenue</b>	\$0	\$0

**Fiscal Impact Summary**

The Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office is unable to determine the expenditure impact on state and local law enforcement agencies due to the permissive nature of the bill

**Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

**Explanation of Amendment by House Judiciary on February 11, 2016**

**State Expenditure**

House Bill 3653 amends various sections of Title 23, which relate to transfers or assignments of law enforcement officers. The bill authorizes a law enforcement agency to enter into mutual aid agreements or multijurisdictional task force agreements with other law enforcement providers as may be necessary in the interests of public safety. The bill also removes the requirement that a transfer of officers must be temporary in nature. Finally, the bill provides that prior to any transfer or assignment, the concerned law enforcement agencies shall enter into written agreements stating the conditions and terms of the employment of officers to be transferred or assigned.

Due to the permissive nature of this bill allowing county and municipal law enforcement agencies to transfer law enforcement officers to participating jurisdictions, the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office is unable to determine the expenditure impact on state law enforcement agencies.

**State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure**

Due to the permissive nature of this bill allowing county and municipal law enforcement agencies to transfer law enforcement officers to participating jurisdictions, the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office is unable to determine the expenditure impact on local government.

**Local Revenue**

N/A



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