

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 88TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 17, 2023**

**TO:** Honorable Ryan Guillen, Chair, House Committee on Community Safety, Select

**FROM:** Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB236** by Goodwin (Relating to requiring a national instant criminal background check in connection with private firearm transfers; creating a criminal offense.), **As Introduced**

<b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would create a Class A misdemeanor offense for violating certain requirements for private firearm transfers outlined in the bill. It is assumed that any fiscal impact and any impact on state correctional populations or on the demand for state correctional resources would not be significant.

**Local Government Impact**

It is assumed that any fiscal impact to units of local government associated with enforcement, prosecution, supervision, or confinement would not be significant.

**Source Agencies:** 405 Department of Public Safety

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