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TO: Honorable Cole Hefner, Chair, House Committee on Homeland Security, Public Safety & Veterans' Affairs

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1696 by Canales (Relating to adding a designation on a person's driver's license or commercial driver's license indicating that the person is licensed to carry a handgun.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would direct the Department of Public Safety to add a designation to a person's driver's license or a commercial driver license indicating licensure to carry a handgun. It is assumed that any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 313 Department of Information Resources, 405 Department of Public Safety

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