



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1781

PRINTERS NO. 2371

PRIME SPONSOR: Borowicz

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2019/20	FY 2020/21
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY:

House Bill 1781 amends Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) concerning prohibited contraband. It would take effect in 60 days.

ANALYSIS:

Enactment of this legislation would permit the governing body of a county to adopt an ordinance to allow a corrections officer employed by the county at a county correctional institution to carry or store one lawfully owned and transported firearm and ammunition in a vehicle located at a specified location at or outside of the county correctional institution upon providing advance written notice to the chief administrator of the county correctional institution. Employees who choose to do so would have to keep the firearm secured with a trigger lock or in a gun safe, keep the firearm out of plain sight, and comply with all applicable laws governing the use, possession, and carrying of firearms and ammunition and all policies of the county correctional institution.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds.

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House Appropriations Committee (R)

DATE: December 17, 2019

Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.