

HF1567 - 2E - Peace Officers Personal Info. Protections Est.

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State Fiscal Impact	Yes	No
Expenditures		X
Fee/Departmental Earnings		X
Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

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Full Time Equivalent Positions (FTE)	Biennium			Biennium	
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Total	-	-	-	-	-

Lead LBO Analyst's Comment

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Bill Description

Minn. Stat. 13.807 would be created to classify personal information collected, created or maintained by a government agency regarding a peace officer or public safety officer as private data. Minn. Stat. 626.97 would provide additional definitions associated with this bill and includes the terms “public safety officer” and “personal information” to the language.

Assumptions

The classification and application of a peace officer’s personal information to this statute would not incur any costs or fiscal implications to Department of Public Safety divisions. However, the remedies outlined indicate a peace officer may seek a court order compelling compliance for removing personal information that is posted in violation of this law.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

Local Fiscal Impact

References/Sources

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Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

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Bill Description

This bill adds a stipulation to existing statute prohibiting the dissemination of certain personal information for peace officers.

Assumptions

The Minnesota Sentencing Guidelines Commission (MSGC) projects a negligible fiscal impact to state correctional resources as a result of this legislation.

The department’s Office of Special Investigations (OSI) does not project a fiscal impact as a result of this legislation. It notes that it has several members who are sworn officers within OSI, specifically within its Fugitive Apprehension Unit, and the department projects that their personal information would be covered under this legislation’s requirements.

The department notes that personal information does not include already publicly available information.

The department notes that, under the definition of peace officer as included in this bill, its supervision agents would not be defined as peace officers, so this legislation would not apply to them.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

N/A

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

N/A

Local Fiscal Impact

MSGC projects a negligible fiscal impact to local correctional resources as a result of this legislation.

References/Sources

Department of Corrections staff

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Expenditures		X
Fee/Departmental Earnings		X
Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

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LBO Analyst's Comment

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Bill Description

This bill relates to government data practices; providing personal information protections to public safety officers and amends Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 609.5151;.

Section 1 Judicial official and public safety officer data; personal information. In the existing section of the Government Data Practices Act (“GDPA”) classifying the personal information of judicial officials as private data, to include all public safety officers. Civil remedies under the GDPA are only available for a violation of this section if the public safety officer previously notified the government entity that he or she was eligible for protection under this section. A notification form is classified as private data

Section 2 Dissemination of personal information about certain persons involved in public safety prohibited; penalty. Aligns penalty levels in the statute with the criminal statute for publishing personal information of judicial officials (§ 609.476), which was created in 2024 Laws, chapter 123, article 12

Section 3 Personal information; dissemination. This creates a new law prohibiting the dissemination of personal information about public safety officers. This section mirrors the existing statute for judicial officials at § 480.40. Subd. 1. Definitions. Defines key terms, including “public safety officer” (which includes both correctional officers and peace officers and adds “former peace officer, or a former corrections officer”) and “personal information.” Subd. 2. Dissemination of personal information. Prohibits any person, business, association, or government entity from disseminating personal information of public safety officers. Allows dissemination pursuant to specific authorization in law or with written consent of the officer. Subd. 3. Exceptions. Creates exceptions for: speech on matters of public concerns (i.e. news articles where the personal information is relevant); personal information a public safety officer voluntarily disseminates after enactment of the law; personal information contained in real property records; etc.

Section 4 Removal of personal information. Provides a mechanism for public safety officers to seek deletion of personal information published online. This section mirrors the existing statute for judicial officials at § 480.45. Subd. 1. Internet dissemination. Provides that, if a public safety officer’s personal information is made available online, the officer can notify the person responsible by sworn affidavit that the person is a public safety officer. Subd. 2. Removal of personal information. Requires removal of the personal information within 30 days and allows a public safety officer to seek a court order compelling compliance. An exception for certain real property records is included. Subd. 3. Penalties and damages. Authorizes a court to award damages, costs, and attorney fees to an officer if a person violates an order for injunctive or declaratory relief issued under subdivision 2.

Assumptions

This bill was reviewed and will have no fiscal impact on the Metropolitan Council and the Metro Transit Police Department.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

This bill was reviewed and will have no fiscal impact on the Metropolitan Council and the Metro Transit Police Department.

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

NA

Local Fiscal Impact

NA

References/Sources

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 Agency: **Natural Resources Dept**

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Expenditures		X
Fee/Departmental Earnings		X
Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

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LBO Analyst's Comment

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Bill Description

This bill would amend Minnesota Statute to protect personal information of public safety officers and make publishing of personal information of a peace officer a criminal offense.

Assumptions

The Department of Natural Resources could apply the proposed restrictions on protected personal information within existing systems. We anticipate no fiscal impact.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

N/A

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

N/A

Local Fiscal Impact

N/A

References/Sources

N/A

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 Agency: **Public Defense Board**

State Fiscal Impact	Yes	No
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Information Technology		X
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LBO Analyst's Comment

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Bill Description

Provides for protections to the personal information of public safety officers. It is a misdemeanor for a person to knowingly and without consent make public information about a public safety official or an official's family or household member. A second or subsequent conviction is a gross misdemeanor, and it is a felony if the official or an official's family or household member suffers great bodily harm or death as a result of the violation.

Assumptions

There are not enough cases to have an impact on caseloads or workloads

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

Local Fiscal Impact

References/Sources

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 Agency: **Sentencing Guidelines Comm**

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Expenditures		X
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LBO Analyst's Comment

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Bill Description

Section 1 enacts Minn. Stat. § 13.807, which classifies governmentally collected, created, or maintained personal information of public safety officers as private data on individuals. Excepted are real property records, UCC filings and tax liens maintained by the Secretary of State, and other records of property titles, lines, judgments, or encumbrances. For the definitions of “personal information” and “public safety officer,” refer to the description of section 3.

Section 2 expands the existing protections of Minn. Stat. § 609.5151 to correctional officers and establishes a felony for a violation that causes a protected official or a family member to suffer great bodily harm or death. Minn. Stat. § 609.5151 now provides a misdemeanor penalty for disseminating personal information about a peace officer or employee of a law enforcement agency, knowing or reasonably having reason to know that the dissemination poses an imminent, serious safety threat to the protected official or a family member. A repeat violation is a gross misdemeanor.

Section 3 enacts Minn. Stat. § 626.97, which prohibits the dissemination of the personal information of a public safety officer. Various exceptions are provided related to journalism, consent, and commercial and property-related use. “Personal information” includes the officer’s or family member’s home address, the officer’s personal telephone number or email address, and the officer’s child’s name or school. The term also includes certain data about undercover law enforcement officers, including the officer’s name. “Public safety officer” means a former or current peace officer or correctional officer.

Section 4 enacts Minn. Stat. § 626.971, which provides a civil process for removal of information posted publicly in violation of section 3.

The bill is effective August 1, 2026, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Assumptions

It is assumed that section 1 will have negligible correctional impact. According to Minn. Judicial Branch (MJB) data, from 2020 to 2024, there were 2.6 misdemeanor convictions for violating the Minnesota Data Practices Act, and section 1’s expansion of the requirements of the act is assumed to be minimal.

Lacking any criminal penalties, sections 3 and 4 are assumed to lack correctional impact.

With respect to section 3’s new felony, because no statutory maximum is specified, it is assumed that the statutory maximums in Minn. Stat. § 609.03 (punishment when not otherwise fixed) will be applied: a five-year statutory maximum for a felony.

The frequency at which the new felony offense under Minn. Stat. § 609.5151 will be committed is not known. According to Minn. Judicial Branch (MJB) data, from 2020 to 2024, there have been no misdemeanor or gross misdemeanor convictions or filings under the existing statute. Likewise, there were no 2024 misdemeanor or felony filings alleging violations of Minn. Stat. § 609.476, establishing similar protections for judges, during the first five months in which that law was effective. It is assumed that the bill’s felony offense, which requires great bodily harm or death to result, will occur

similarly infrequently.

It is further assumed that some of the misbehavior proscribed by the bill's new felony provision in cases involving death in which the risk of death was conscious and unreasonable would already constitute second-degree manslaughter under Minn. Stat. § 609.205(1).

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

Based on the above assumptions, and the fact that there are currently no convictions under Minn. Stat. § 609.5151 or 609.476, it is estimated that the long-term impact of this bill is negligible.

Local Fiscal Impact

Based on the above assumptions, it is estimated that the local government fiscal impact of this bill is negligible.

References/Sources

MJB data, 2020 to 2024.

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Information Technology		X
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Bill Description

HF1567-2E (“the bill”) adds a new statute, Minn. Stat. § 13.807, to classify personal information of public safety officers as private data on individuals and authorizes remedies and penalties under ch. 13 if the underlying individual provided written notice that they are entitled to protection.

The bill modifies Minn. Stat. § 609.5151, Dissemination of Personal Information, to expand the statute to add correctional officers to the public safety officials covered, to make it a gross misdemeanor to commit a second or subsequent violation, and to increase the penalty from a gross misdemeanor to a felony if a person violates the statute and the official or the official’s family or household member suffers great bodily harm or death as a result of the violation.

The bill also adds a new statute, Minn. Stat. § 626.97, which prohibits knowingly posting, displaying, publishing, selling, or otherwise making available on the internet the personal information of a current or former public safety officer, subject to listed exceptions; and a new statute, Minn. Stat. § 626.971, authorizing the public safety officer to file a civil action for failure to remove personal information within 30 days of receipt of an affidavit requesting removal and providing for actual damages, court costs, and reasonable attorney fees for a knowing violation of an order granting injunctive or declarative relief.

Assumptions

It is assumed that civil and criminal case filings could increase under the provisions of this bill because it expands conduct prohibited under section 609.5151 and chapter 13 and creates a new civil right of action in chapter 626.

It is assumed that any increase in filings will correlate to current filing numbers for criminal cases with charges under Minn. Stat. §§ 13.09 and 609.5151. The judicial branch does not have a reliable way to estimate the number of civil filings brought pursuant to a specific civil remedy statute, such as Minn. Stat. § 13.08, so the number of criminal cases under Minn. Stat. §§ 13.09 and 609.5151 is used as a benchmark for potential civil and criminal filings under the bill.

Based on the low level of current charges under Minn. Stat. §§ 13.09 and 609.5151, it is assumed the judicial branch will absorb any increase in workload as a result of this bill.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

Based on five years of judicial branch data (2021-2025), there have been no charges filed alleging a violation of Minn. Stat. § 609.5151, and there were 50 charges filed statewide alleging a violation of Minn. Stat. § 13.09(a). This amounts to an annual average of 10 charges statewide. Even if each charge represented a single case, and if case filings doubled as a result of the bill, an additional 10 criminal cases and 10 civil cases statewide per year would not have a significant fiscal impact on the judicial branch.

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

None.

Local Fiscal Impact

References/Sources

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State Fiscal Impact	Yes	No
Expenditures		X
Fee/Departmental Earnings		X
Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

This table shows direct impact to state government only. Local government impact, if any, is discussed in the narrative. Reductions shown in the parentheses.

State Cost (Savings)	Biennium			Biennium		
	Dollars in Thousands	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Biennial Total			-			-

Full Time Equivalent Positions (FTE)	Biennium			Biennium		
		FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

LBO Analyst's Comment

I have reviewed this fiscal note for reasonableness of content and consistency with the LBO's Uniform Standards and Procedures.

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State Cost (Savings) Calculation Details

This table shows direct impact to state government only. Local government impact, if any, is discussed in the narrative. Reductions are shown in parentheses.

*Transfers In/Out and Absorbed Costs are only displayed when reported.

State Cost (Savings) = 1-2		Biennium			Biennium	
Dollars in Thousands		FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029
	Total	-	-	-	-	-
	Biennial Total			-		-
1 - Expenditures, Absorbed Costs*, Transfers Out*						
	Total	-	-	-	-	-
	Biennial Total			-		-
2 - Revenues, Transfers In*						
	Total	-	-	-	-	-
	Biennial Total			-		-

Bill Description

This bill would amend Minnesota Statute to protect personal information of public safety officers and make publishing of personal information of a peace officer a criminal offense.

Assumptions

The University of Minnesota does not anticipate any cost to comply with this legislation.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

Local Fiscal Impact

References/Sources

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