



OFFICE OF THE STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER

Potential OPD Legislation for 2015 Session

As of March 27, 2014

2013 Session Priority	Short Title	Fiscal Impact	Anticipated to be Controversial?	Advance?	2015 Session Priority
New	Suspend payment of public defender fee during incarceration	\$ (2,878)			
New	Remove State Special Revenue and Replace with General Fund	Net \$ 0	SSR \$ (281,544)	GF \$ 281,544	
2	IQ Household Definition	Unknown		No	
New	Amend Statute 47-1-111[3] to Modify the Definition of Indigence	\$ 0			
New	Amend Statute 47-1-111 to permit RDPD input	\$ 0			
New	Enact a New Statute to Clarify the Court's Consideration of the Eligibility Process	\$ 0			
4	Allow Flat Fee Contracts	Unknown		Yes	
8	Remove Jail Time for Certain Misdemeanors	First year \$ (554,677)	Second year \$ (562,997)	Yes	
New	Amend Statute 3-1-501 to Modify the Definition of Contempt	\$ 0			
Not an OPD Bill Last Session	Concealed Weapons for OPD Investigators	\$ 5,000		Yes	
New	\$50 per Meeting Stipend for Commission Members	\$ 3,000			