

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

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| Bill No.: | SB420 |
| Version: | ENGR |
| Request Number: | |
| Author: | Staires |
| Date: | 4/10/2023 |
| Impact: | Please see previous summary of this measure |

Research Analysis

SB 420 extends from 1 year to 30 months the time frame in which a claim is required to be made to the Crime Victims Compensation Board. The measure provides that a self-inflicted injury is not to be attributed to the victim when the Board finds the injury is a direct result of the crime committed against the victim. The measure increases the compensatory amount available to a victim because of economic loss from injury or death from \$20,000 to \$25,000 and increases the amount that may be awarded specifically for loss of wages or loss of support for dependents of a deceased victim from \$20,000 to \$25,000. The measure increases the cap on awards from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

Prepared By: Brad Wolgamott

Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

Prepared By: House Fiscal Staff

Other Considerations

None.