BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.: SB644 Version: ENGR

Request Number:

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Research Analysis

SB 644 allows municipalities to authorize all or certain municipal employees to carry concealed firearms by ordinance. The employees must possess a valid handgun license and must keep the firearm secure at their own expense. The municipality is not liable for any loss, damage or injuries that occur in relation to or caused by the possession or storage of a firearm. The measure provides for immunity from civil or criminal liability for any injury resulting from the carrying, accidental discharge, or intentional discharge of a handgun on municipal property. Employees may only carry firearms in the areas outlined in the measure. The measure clarifies that no felon may be eligible to carry a firearm under the provisions of this measure.

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Fiscal Analysis

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

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Other Considerations

None.

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