

SENATE STAFF ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based only on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

BILL: SB 492

SPONSOR: Senator Cowin

SUBJECT: Governor's Council on Criminal Justice Trust Fund

DATE: November 15, 1999 REVISED: _____

| | ANALYST | STAFF DIRECTOR | REFERENCE | ACTION |
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| 1. | <u>Lombardi</u> | <u>Hadi</u> | <u>FP</u> | <u>Favorable</u> |
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I. Summary:

This legislation re-creates the Governor's Council on Criminal Justice Trust Fund without modification, effective November 4, 2000. The Governor's Council on Criminal Justice Trust Fund, FLAIR #52-2-333, is administered by the Department of Community Affairs. This fund was last re-created effective November 4, 1996, by Chapter 96-63, Laws of Florida.

This bill amends Chapter 96-63, Laws of Florida.

II. Present Situation:

The fund is used to provide support staff and pass-through funding related to federal grants from the Bureau of Justice Assistance in the U.S. Department of Justice.

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None

V. Economic Impact and Fiscal Note:

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None

B. Private Sector Impact:

None

C. Government Sector Impact:

None

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

None

VII. Related Issues:

None

VIII. Amendments:

None

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