

**LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY
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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

LS 6128
BILL NUMBER: HB 1014

NOTE PREPARED: Oct 30, 2025
BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Sonography.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Bauer
FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
 X DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: State & Local

Summary of Legislation: This bill specifies that the term "radiation" includes sound waves commonly used for sonography. It prohibits a person from performing sonography unless certain conditions are met, and provides both criminal and civil penalties. It also makes conforming changes.

Effective Date: July 1, 2026.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues: *Penalty Provision:* The bill may result in additional violations regarding sonography. The IDOH may impose a civil penalty up to \$25,000 for each violation per day. Any increase in civil penalty revenue is expected to be minimal.

The bill establishes a Class B misdemeanor for providing sonography services under certain circumstances, as prescribed in the bill. If additional court cases occur and fines are collected, revenue to both the Common School Fund (from fines) and the state General Fund (from court fees) would increase. The maximum fine for a Class B misdemeanor is \$1,000. The total fee revenue per case would range between \$113 and \$138. The amount of court fees deposited will vary depending on whether the case is filed in a court of record or a municipal court. The following linked document describes the fees and distribution of the revenue: [Court fees imposed in criminal, juvenile, and civil violation cases.](#)

Explanation of Local Expenditures: *Penalty Provision:* A Class B misdemeanor is punishable by up to 180 days in jail.

Explanation of Local Revenues: *Penalty Provision:* If additional court actions result in a guilty verdict, certain local units will collect more revenue. The following linked document describes the fees and distribution of the revenue: [Court fees imposed in criminal, juvenile, and civil violation cases.](#)

State Agencies Affected: Indiana Department of Health.

Local Agencies Affected: Trial courts, local law enforcement agencies.

Information Sources: Indiana Supreme Court, Indiana Trial Court Fee Manual.

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