

**LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY
OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS
FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

LS 6521

BILL NUMBER: HB 1119

NOTE PREPARED: Dec 9, 2025

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Execution Methods.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Lucas

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: The bill authorizes the death penalty to be carried out by firing squad or nitrogen hypoxia: (1) if the commissioner of the Department of Correction (DOC) determines that use of a firing squad or nitrogen hypoxia is advisable in light of availability considerations and the resources of the department; or (2) upon request by the condemned person.

It establishes a procedure to authorize execution by firing squad and by nitrogen hypoxia. It removes the requirement that an execution be carried out: (1) at the Indiana state prison; and (2) before sunrise.

It also makes conforming amendments and technical corrections.

Effective Date: July 1, 2026.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Department of Correction.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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