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## SENATE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Senator Sabrina Cervantes, Chair  
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### AB 1743 (Wicks) - Firearms

**Version:** June 4, 2026

**Urgency:** No

**Hearing Date:** August 13, 2026

**Policy Vote:** PUB. S. 5 - 1

**Mandate:** No

**Consultant:** Bob Franzoia

**Bill Summary:** AB 1743 would require the Department of Justice (DOJ) to make identification and tracing information for illegal firearms available under conditions set forth by the Attorney General.

### \*\*\*\*\* ANALYSIS ADDENDUM – SUSPENSE FILE \*\*\*\*\*

The following information is revised to reflect amendments  
adopted by the committee on August 13, 2026

**Fiscal Impact:** Significant costs annually to the DOJ Firearms Records Unit within the Division of Law Enforcement to process firearm data requests, provide subject matter expertise, and perform research, formatting and validating of data for accuracy.

Significant costs annually to the DOJ Office of General Counsel for legal, information security and research services (General Fund).

**Author Amendments:** Clarify that the information relied on by the DOJ for its analysis of patterns and trends be available, upon request, to any California town, city, county, or state government agency, the California State University, the University of California.

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