
SENATE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Senator Sabrina Cervantes, Chair
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AB 1806 (Gabriel) - Department of Justice

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Mandate: No

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Bill Summary: AB 1806 would require the Attorney General (AG), as the state prosecutor, to investigate incidents of a federal immigration enforcement officer-involved shooting resulting in the death of a civilian and permits the state prosecutor to criminally prosecute the federal immigration enforcement officer. The bill also requires the state prosecutor to post and maintain each written report regarding the incident on a public website.

Fiscal Impact: Estimated \$5 million in FY 2026-27 and \$10 million annually thereafter to hire, train and be prepared to respond promptly to up to ten shootings anywhere in the state, as well as anticipated litigation that may arise out of the state's efforts to investigate and prosecute federal agents. (General Fund)

Proposed Law: This bill would require the AG to do all the following:

1) Investigate and gather facts in an incident involving a shooting resulting in the death of a civilian by a federal immigration enforcement officer.

2) For all investigations conducted, prepare and submit a written report. The written report shall include, at a minimum, both of the following:

a) A statement of the facts.

b) A detailed analysis and conclusion for each investigatory issue.

3) If criminal charges against the involved officer are found to be warranted, initiate and prosecute a criminal action against the officer.

Related Legislation: AB 1807 (Gabriel) would prohibit the use of state-owned property for purposes of immigration enforcement. The bill would require state agencies to develop procedures to ensure that the use of state-owned property for immigration enforcement purposes is documented and that the Attorney General's office is notified. The bill would require the Attorney General's office to design standardized signage and to make the signage available to download free of charge. AB 1807 is pending in this committee.