

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

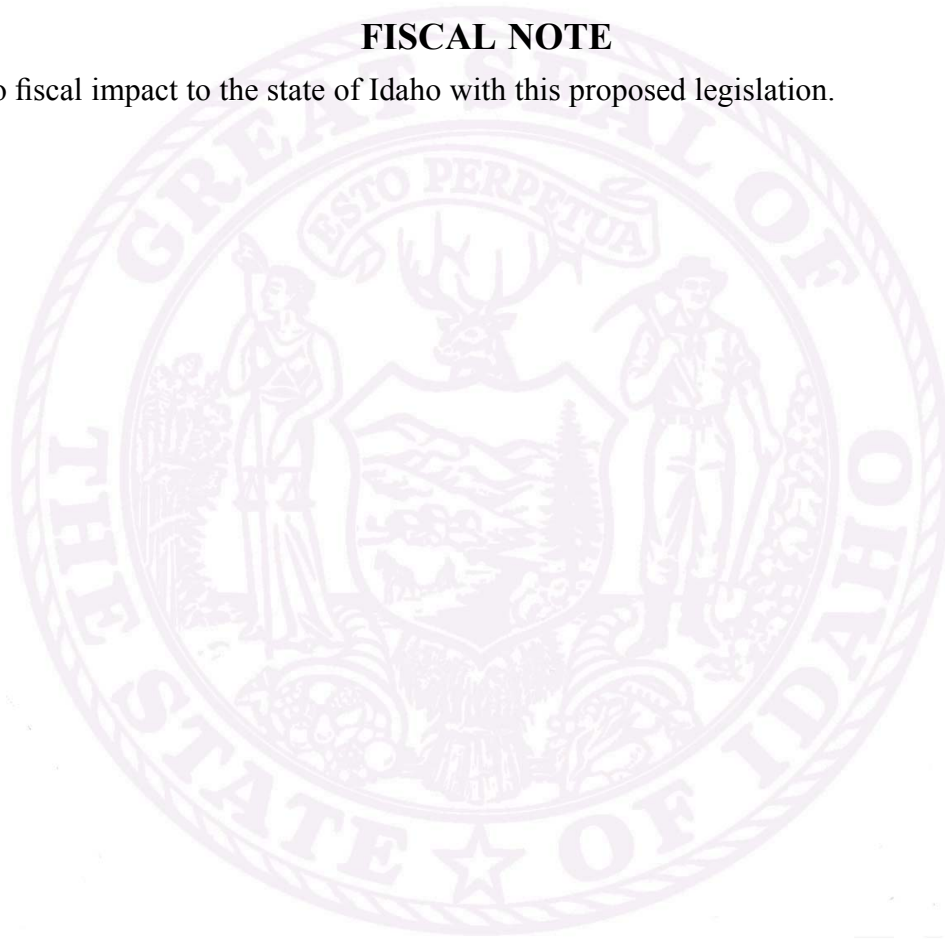
RS22401

This proposed legislation amends and clarifies section 37-2744(f)(2), Idaho Code, relating to the number of persons required to witness the destruction of drugs.

The statute currently requires that two representatives from the Idaho State Police be present for the drug destruction. The statute was written before the Idaho State Police was responsible for Forensic Services and both a supervisory drug analyst and a representative from the Director's Office are required to be present. Now that both representatives are governed by the same agency it is an unnecessary duplication of efforts to continue to have both as witnesses.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the state of Idaho with this proposed legislation.



Contact:

Teresa Baker
Idaho State Police
(208) 884-7122