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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 2-6-06

SPONSOR Picraux LAST UPDATED \_\_\_\_\_ HB 653

SHORT TITLE INTERNATIONAL CRIME-FREE CONFERENCE SB \_\_\_\_\_

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### APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY06	FY07		
	\$40.0	Non-Recurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

#### Responses Received From

Department of Finance and Administration (DFA)

Department of Public Safety (DPS)

### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 653 appropriates \$40 thousand from the general fund to the Local Government Division (LGD) of the Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) in FY07 to support the Eight International Crime Free Conference in Albuquerque in August 2006.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$40 thousand contained in this bill is a non-recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of FY07 would revert to the general fund.

### SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

The International Crime Free Association is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to those whose mission is related to the goal and purpose of the Crime Free Programs, in which coalitions of police, property managers, and residents of rental properties in communities across the county and abroad work together to keep crime out of rental properties. Crime-Free Multi-Housing pro-

grams, based on these coalitions, have achieved reductions in police calls of as much as 90 percent in high-crime areas of cities.

DFA noted that this conference information to business communities associated rental housing, hotels, condominiums, mini-storage, manufactured housing. A law enforcement certification course will be taught. Business and property owners will be taught how to make businesses and communities safer. The conference attracts hundreds of participants from around the United States and from abroad.

**ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS**

This appropriation can be administered by LGD/DFA with existing staff.

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