

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE BILL ANALYSIS**

**AMENDMENT DATE:** April 27, 2010  
**POSITION:** Neutral

**BILL NUMBER:** SB 1032  
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**BILL SUMMARY: Corrections: Audits and Investigations**

This bill would make it unlawful for the Office of the Inspector General (OIG) to violate specified provisions of the Public Safety Officer's Procedural Bill of Rights Act while conducting an investigation of California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) employees. This bill would provide for injunctive or other extraordinary relief to remedy violations and prevent future similar violations, as specified.

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

The OIG has indicated that this bill could result in unknown additional legal costs, depending upon the number of allegations that the OIG failed to comply with the statutory requirements for investigating CDCR employees. However, any request for additional resources would be subject to review in the annual budget process.

**COMMENTS**

Current law authorizes the OIG to conduct audits and investigations of the CDCR, as specified. If an audit or investigation of a CDCR disciplinary action or grievance procedure is likely to result in punitive action against an employee, the OIG is subject to provisions which govern the interrogation and investigation of peace officers. Current law does not allow for legal remedies if the OIG violates these provisions.

This bill would make it unlawful for the Office of the Inspector General (OIG) to violate specified provisions of the Public Safety Officer's Procedural Bill of Rights Act while conducting an investigation of California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) employees. This bill would also allow for injunctive or extraordinary relief to remedy violations and to prevent future violations of a like or similar nature, as specified.

Code/Department Agency or Revenue Type	(Fiscal Impact by Fiscal Year)								Fund Code
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	RV	98	FC	FC	FC	FC	FC	FC	
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