

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE**  
**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **HB 525** HLS 26RS 1333

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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<b>Subject:</b> Online Publication and Maintenance of Certain Data		

PUBLIC SFTY/DEPARTMENT

OR NO IMPACT See Note

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Provides for the online publication and maintenance of certain data used and compiled by the DPS&C

Proposed law provides for legislative findings; provides that no later than 30 days after the end of each calendar month, DPS&C shall publish on its publicly accessible website downloadable, machine-readable versions of certain reports; provides that DPS&C shall publish on its website, both in Microsoft Excel and comma-separated values formats, all underlying datasets used to generate each informational dashboard including certain demographic information; provides that DPS&C shall publish and maintain on its website a publicly accessible index of correctional datasets maintained by the department, including the name of each dataset, a general description, data range available, frequency of update, whether the dataset is available for download, and contact information for public records requests; provides that it shall not require the disclosure of personally identifiable information protected under state or federal law and that the department may redact identifying information necessary to comply with applicable confidentiality provisions; provides that DPS&C shall submit a written report certifying compliance with the proposed law to the House Committee on the Administration of Criminal Justice and the Senate Committee on Judiciary B, no later than 3/31/27; provides that DPS&C shall implement the proposed law no later than 10/01/26.

EXPENDITURES	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	2029-30	2030-31	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Annual Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

REVENUES	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	2029-30	2030-31	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. Proposed law obligates DPS&C to publish, on its publicly accessible website, reports, datasets, and indexes, of information it already maintains.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate

Dual Referral Rules

House

13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}

6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}

13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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