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<u>Present law</u> provides that the microfilm section of the records management program of the division of archives, records management, and history (division) within the Department of State will be the centralized microfilm center for the state.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for the removal of the term microfilming to reflect other document preservation systems provided by the imaging and preservation services section of the records management program of the division.

<u>Present law</u> requires all state agencies to obtain division approval for a conversion contract with any other conversion vendor.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and further requires all state agencies to obtain division approval for the purchase of any conversion system.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the requirements of <u>present law</u> will not be applicable to any state agency where it can be demonstrated to be more economically feasible to continue the microfilming within the agency.

Proposed law removes the exemption.

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