

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 1522
Version:	Engrossed
Request Number:	
Author:	Rep. Humphrey
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Impact:	Potential revenue increase; expands scope of misdemeanor

Research Analysis

SB 1522 includes retired peace officers among the list of officials whose personally identifiable information is protected from persons threatening to post such information online with the intent to threaten, intimidate, or harass.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure, as engrossed, would add retired peace officers to the list of individuals that are permitted to request that their personal information not be made publicly available. The measure would also add retired police officers to the list of individuals whose personal information it is a misdemeanor to publish with the intent to harass.

Upon review, a positive revenue impact is possible from passage of the measure. By expanding the scope of a misdemeanor, the measure could increase the amount of fine revenue received by the state for violations without increasing the costs of incarceration borne by the state. The exact impact would depend on the number and disposition of cases.

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Other Considerations

None.