

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB2157
Version:	CS
Request Number:	
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Impact:	No impact

Research Analysis

The committee substitute for HB 2157 recommends and encourages at least 20 percent of active-duty law enforcement officers across city, state, and county agencies complete crisis intervention training in addition to any other required mental health training. The measure also authorizes law enforcement officers to take individuals into custody and place them in a county detention center without a mental health evaluation if no immediate mental health treatment is necessary. The officer shall prepare a written statement indicating the basis for the officer's belief that the person did not require a mental health evaluation or immediate mental health treatment and the circumstances under which the officer took the person directly into detention center custody. Any false statement given to the officer by the person upon whose statement the officer relies shall be a misdemeanor.

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Fiscal Analysis

After review, the CS to HB 2157 has no fiscal considerations to the state.

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Other Considerations

None.