Bill Summary

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Bill Analysis

SB 1679 prohibits government personnel from enacting or imposing any actions subverting the constitutional rights of state residents even during times of emergency or disaster. The measure outlines actions by such officials considered unlawful. Any person found to have violated the provisions of this measure shall be guilty of a felony and subject to a term of imprisonment not to exceed 5 years and/or a maximum fine of \$50,000.00. Convicted personnel shall also be subject to removal from office, a fine of \$10,000.00 per violation, prohibition from holding office in the future, and personal assumption of all liability for each violation where the government would otherwise be found liable.

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