BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

The 2nd policy committee substitute to HB 1266 allows the operator of a wrecker or towing service to contact a highway remediation and cleanup service when specialized labor, equipment or debris remediation is needed to clear an accident. If the wreck involves livestock or poultry, the wrecker or towing service or the law enforcement agency responding to the wreck is to contact the county emergency management office where the wreck occurs. The county emergency management office is to assist with the humane treatment and disposition of the livestock or poultry involved in the wreck.

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Fiscal Analysis

The POLPCS2 to HB1266 authorizes private wrecker operators to coordinate with the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) in certain instances, and modifies billing procedures related to these services. In its current form, this measure is not anticipated to have a material impact on state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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