

## **BILL SUMMARY**

1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 60<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB1275</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>FULLPCS1-AMD1</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Rep. Caldwell (Chad)</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>OAG: \$300,000</b>

### **Research Analysis**

The amendment to the proposed oversight committee substitute for HB 1275 excludes gaming platforms that comply with the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act from the definition of *social media platform*.

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### **Fiscal Analysis**

The FULLPCS1 to HB1275 would restrict minors under the age of 16 from accessing certain social media platforms. HB1275 allows the Office of the Attorney General (OAG) to initiate enforcement measures on social media companies found to be in violation of this act. Officials with the OAG anticipate needing to hire an additional attorney and an additional administrative employee to implement the provisions of the bill at a total cost of \$300,000. The agency would seek additional funding to defray these costs.

The FULLPCS1-AMD1 clarifies the scope of which devices certain provisions apply to. This does not change the fiscal impact of the measure.

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### **Other Considerations**

None.