

BILL SUMMARY
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Research Analysis

The committee substitute for HB2619 creates the Foreign Litigation Funding Prevention Act. The measure subjects commercial litigation funding agreements to discovery upon request and provides that information related to the funding agreement is not admissible as evidence at trial. The disclosure must include a certification, by sworn affidavit by the producing party, as to whether a foreign state or instrumentality of a foreign state is, has been, or will be a source of funding for the agreement. Consumer litigation funding agreements are exempt from the disclosure requirement.

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Fiscal Analysis

The CS to HB2619 sets forth civil procedures related to commercial litigation. 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.