BILL SUMMARY

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Impact: No material impact

Research Analysis

The conference committee substitute for HB3598 requires the Agency Performance and Accountability Commission to contract with the Attorney General (AG) for legal services, establishes auditing duties for the commission and authorizes the commission to contract with a private entity, nonprofit or academic institution to conduct independent comprehensive performance audits (ICPA). The commission is tasked with conducting ICPAs for the top 20 executive branch agencies with the highest appropriations for a given fiscal year and issuing an annual report of the status of implementation of audit recommendations.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 3598 in its current form addresses the Agency Performance and Accountability Commission's ability to contract for consulting and support services and with the Attorney General's office for legal advice. Any fiscal impact will be dependent upon the frequency at which the Commission necessitates such services and legal advice. The measure is not anticipated to have a material fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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