

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 56th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 314
Version:	FULLPCS1
Request Number:	7371
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

The measure modifies sheriff candidate qualifications by requiring any candidate to have served as a duly certified peace officer in a full-time capacity for at least four years prior to filing for office.

The measure also defines *peace officer* as: a full-time duly appointed or elected officer who is paid for working more than 25 hours per week and whose duties are to preserve the public peace, protect life and property, prevent crime, serve warrants, and enforce state, federal or military laws and local ordinances of this state or any political subdivision thereof.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.