

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	SB 723
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Research Analysis

SB 723 modifies the types of records searches that must be conducted prior to DHS issuing a license to an individual to operate a child care facility and prior to a facility hiring an employee. The measure requires that a search include any available child abuse and neglect registry in a state where the individual has lived in the last 5 years; it requires a search of the nontechnical services worker abuse registry maintained by the State Health Department and a search of the community services worker registry maintained by DHS. Lastly, the bill provides that anyone who refuses to consent to the criminal background check or who knowingly makes a false statement in connection with the background check will be ineligible to own, work in or reside in a child care facility.

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Fiscal Analysis

SB 723 has no fiscal implications to the state.

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Other Considerations

None.