BILL SUMMARY

2nd Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.: HB2777
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Impact: Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

HB 2777 creates the Porch Piracy Act of 2020. The measure makes it unlawful for any person to hold, conceal, destroy or take mail from the mailbox or premises of another person or from a delivery vehicle at any point throughout the delivery route without the effective consent of the addressee and with the intent to deprive the addressee of the mail. The penalty is a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment of up to 1 year in the county jail, a fine of up to \$500 or both fine and imprisonment. Any person with 3 or more separate offenses committed within a 60 day period is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not less than 2 years nor more than 5 years, a fine of up to \$5,000 or both fine and imprisonment.

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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.

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