

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 3374
Version:	FULLPCS1
Request Number:	11330
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Impact:	Authorizes Counties to Contract for Certain Services

Any Costs Will be Incurred by Counties

Research Analysis

The Proposed Committee Substitute for HB 3374 authorizes a board of county commissioners, at the request of the county sheriff, to enter into contracts for security guard services at county facilities. The sheriff would be responsible for selecting and administering security plans for the counties.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure permits county commissioners to contract with private security agencies or guards for services in buildings where sheriffs are required to provide security of prisoners. The provision is permissive and not mandatory. Any cost for such services will be incurred by the county.

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Other Considerations

None.