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Research Analysis

HB 3601 requires a peace officer making a preliminary investigation for and emergency temporary order of protection and emergency ex parte orders to make every attempt to serve the subject of the order and complete a return of service when filing the petition with the district court. If unable to make service, the petition is to be filed with the district court the next day. The court clerk is to review the petition and ensure all required documents are accounted for. The court clerk is to ensure a return of service is properly attached to the petition, document the hearing date and time assigned to the case. The measure requires the judge to notify a peace officer requesting an order of protection of the date, time and courtroom in which the hearing will be held. The peace officer shall provide the victim and defendant with a copy of the completed order and return the original order to the district court.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 3601, upon review and with consultation from the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC), is determined to have no fiscal or revenue considerations for the state.

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Other Considerations

None.