

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 350 creates the Red Tape Repealer Act. The measure requires the Office of Management and Enterprise Services to develop an initial rule baseline budget consisting of the total number of rules promulgated by state agencies in the executive branch by January 1, 2020. Any rule proposed by a state agency after January 1, 2020, will be considered a new rule.

Between January 2020 and January 2022, each agency will implement a two-for-one net decrease in rules, meaning that for every new rule proposed, the proposing agency must replace or repeal two other rules. The Office must evaluate the merits of each rule based on criteria outlined by the measure. The Office may also grant an exemption to the two-for-one net decrease if a proposed rule is necessary to protect the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of this state. The Office must also submit a report to the Governor and Legislature relating the status of the rule baseline budget, which must be published on specified websites.

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