BILL SUMMARY

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Impact: Under review

Research Analysis

The floor amendment 1 to HB 2653 restores the word "possess" and "possessing" to provide that a felony conviction for possession of a controlled dangerous substance while using a motor vehicle will result in revocation of driving privileges. The amendment also provides that misdemeanor possession of a controlled dangerous substance while in actual physical control of a moving vehicle is to result in immediate revocation of driving privileges.

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Fiscal Analysis

The first floor amendment to HB 2653 restores stricken language. The first floor amendment also adds language providing for the mandatory revocation of licenses for individuals convicted of misdemeanor possession of a controlled dangerous substance while in actual physical control of the vehicle.

The impact of the first floor amendment is under review with relevant agencies.

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Other Considerations

None.

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