BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.: HB1597
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Research Analysis

HB1597, as introduced, amends the Notice of Opportunity to Repair Act by requiring a homeowner to meet certain conditions prior to filing a construction defect lawsuit against a contractor. The preconditions include written notice of the alleged construction defects and 30 days for the contractor to inspect the defects and respond with a written compensation offer.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB1597, as introduced, subjects requirements to certain contractual agreements between private entities. Because no action is being mandated to a state agency, this measure is not expected to impact state revenues or state appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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