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Bill No.:	HB2864
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Impact:	See analysis below

Research Analysis

HB2864, as introduced, creates the "Mental Health Transport Revolving Fund" within the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. The fund will consist of money received by the Department from appropriations, is not subject to fiscal year limitations.

The measure also shifts the responsibility for the transporting of individuals that are presented to mental health and substance abuse facilities from the transporting law enforcement agency to the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, or an entity contracted by the Department.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 2864 creates a new revolving fund titled Mental Health Transport Revolving Fund. The measure does not provide funding for the fund. The measure also modifies transportation responsibilities related to certain individuals needing mental health services. The Revolving Fund is designed to reimburse the costs of such transportation.

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Other Considerations

None.

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