

**BILL SUMMARY**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB418</b>
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**Research Analysis**

SB 418 requires the Department of Corrections or entities contracted by the Department to designate each multi-occupancy restroom, changing room, and sleeping quarters for the exclusive use of either females or males. Any individual who accesses a restroom or changing room for use by members of his or her sex and encounters a person of the opposite sex in such restroom or changing room has a private cause of action for declaratory and injunctive relief against the covered entity. Any individual who is required by the covered entity to share sleeping quarters with a person of the opposite sex has a private cause of action for declaratory and injunctive relief against the covered entity.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

The Engrossed version of SB418 would require the Department of Corrections (DOC) to promulgate rules and take reasonable steps in providing sex-segregated restrooms, changing rooms, and sleeping quarters. According to officials from the DOC, all restrooms in the DOC facilities are already designated male or female and there is no anticipated fiscal impact that would result from the measure. Therefore, in its current form, there is no material impact to state budget or appropriations as a result of SB418.

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**Other Considerations**

None.