Senate Fiscal Summary

1st Session of the 60th Legislature



House Bill 1275

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Senate Author:
House Author:
FY'26 Impact:
Full Year Impact:

ENG Office of the Attorney General Seifried Caldwell(Chad) \$300,000 \$300,000

Bill Summary and Fiscal Analysis:

HB 1275 would place restrictions on social media usage. Social media companies may not allow minors under 16 to use social media and must require parental consent for minors 16 or older. Companies who violate this regulation are subject to a \$2,500 fine per violation plus court costs, attorney fees, and damages. The Attorney General is also authorized to take legal action. Additionally, commercial entities would be prohibited from collecting or sharing a minor's personal or location information. The Office of the Attorney General estimates one additional attorney and one additional administrative support FTE will be needed to implement and enforce the provisions of this measure.

Fiscal Impact provided by the Office of the Attorney General