

Senate Fiscal Summary

1st Session of the 60th Legislature



Senate Bill 909

Version:	INT
Agency:	Corporation Commission
Senate Author:	Daniels
House Author:	
FY'26 Impact:	\$550,000
Full Year Impact:	\$500,000

Bill Summary and Fiscal Analysis:

SB 909 would create the Secure Telecommunications Act of 2025. The measure prohibits components manufactured by a federally banned corporation or foreign adversary from being part of the state's critical telecommunications infrastructure. The measure would require the replacement of components manufactured by a federally banned corporation or foreign adversary that are already part of the state's critical telecommunications infrastructure. Entities replacing such infrastructure shall not be required to obtain any additional permits for such replacement. The measure requires each telecommunications provider providing service to pay a registration fee to the Corporation Commission by September 1, 2025, and on the January 1 of each year thereafter. The Commission shall determine the amount of the fee and promulgate rules to register with the Commission. The measure directs the Commission to levy a \$10,000.00-\$100,000.00 fine per day of noncompliance on any company found to have knowingly violated the provisions of this measure. Any entity found to be in violation shall be ineligible to receive state or local funds. The Corporation Commission states the Public Utility Division will need hire additional engineering and legal staff, which would result in an estimated \$500,000 recurring costs. The Commission also estimates a need for \$50,000 in one-time funds for the initial implementation and rulemaking.

Fiscal Impact provided by the Corporation Commission

