

**AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2026 REGULAR SESSION**

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**SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION**

*{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}*

**Date Prepared:** 01/20/2026 **Check all that apply:**  
**Bill Number:** HB58 **Original** X **Correction**     
**Amendment**    **Substitute**   

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**SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT****APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)**

<b>Appropriation</b>		<b>Recurring or Nonrecurring</b>	<b>Fund Affected</b>
<b>FY26</b>	<b>FY27</b>		

**REVENUE (dollars in thousands)**

<b>Estimated Revenue</b>			<b>Recurring or Nonrecurring</b>	<b>Fund Affected</b>
<b>FY26</b>	<b>FY27</b>	<b>FY28</b>		

(Parenthesis ( ) indicate revenue decreases)

**ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)**

	<b>FY26</b>	<b>FY27</b>	<b>FY28</b>	<b>3 Year Total Cost</b>	<b>Recurring or Nonrecurring</b>	<b>Fund Affected</b>
<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:  
Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

## **SECTION III: NARRATIVE**

### **BILL SUMMARY**

Synopsis: House Bill 58 amends the Criminal Code's crime of use of a telephone to terrify, threaten, harass, annoy, or offend to include electronic communication, including text messages and social media.

“Electronic communication” means a telephone call, social media post, text message, or instant message or electronic mail.

“Social media” means a website or internet medium that (a) permits a person to register or create an account or profile in order to create, share or view user-generated content; (b) enables one or more users to generate content that can be viewed by other users of the medium; and (c) serves as a medium for users to interact with content generated by other users.

### **FISCAL IMPLICATIONS**

The amendment is not expected to have a fiscal impact on the Department.

### **SIGNIFICANT ISSUES**

None

### **PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS**

None

### **ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS**

None

### **CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP**

None

### **TECHNICAL ISSUES**

None

### **OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES**

None

### **ALTERNATIVES**

None

### **WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL**

None

### **AMENDMENTS**

None