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# FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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SHORT TITLE	License Electronic Records Location	SB	
ANALYST			Wilson
APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)			
Appropriation		Recurring	Fund
FY11	FY12	or Non-Rec	Affected
	NFI		

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

# **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

LFC Files

Responses Received From
Attorney General's Office (AGO)
Regulation & Licensing (RLD)

### **SUMMARY**

Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 227 amends Section 61-18A-14 of the Collection Agency Regulatory Act, NMSA 1978, §§ 61-18A-1 through 61-18A-33 (1987) to allow a foreign collection agency licensed to do business in New Mexico to maintain its electronic records at a location other than its principal office in New Mexico, if the agency's records are maintained electronically.

## FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

No fiscal implications

## **SIGNIFICANT ISSUES**

Electronic records can be accessed from any site.

It is not clear how the provisions in this bill will be enforced by RLD.

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