



House of Representatives

General Assembly

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House Bill No. 5677

House of Representatives, April 13, 2004

The Committee on Appropriations reported through REP. DYSON of the 94th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2004*) The Chief Information
2 Officer of the Department of Information Technology shall review the
3 functions and activities of the department in order to evaluate the cost
4 savings and improvements in the efficiency and telecommunications
5 systems of state agencies which are attributable to the efforts of said
6 department. The Chief Information Officer shall submit findings and
7 recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General
8 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and
9 budgets of state agencies not later than January 1, 2005, and annually
10 thereafter.

This act shall take effect as follows:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2004</i>
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APP *Joint Favorable*

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 05 \$	FY 06 \$
Inf. Technol., Dept.	GF - None	None	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The reporting requirements mandated by the bill would not result in additional cost to the agency because it already reports on its budget and programs to the Appropriations Committee on an annual basis.

OFA Bill Analysis

HB 5677

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.

SUMMARY:

This bill requires the Chief of Information Officer to review the functions and activities of the Department of Information Technology (DOIT) and evaluate the cost effectiveness and improvements in the efficiency and telecommunications of state agencies.

The bill also requires the Chief of Information Officer to submit findings and recommendations to the Appropriations Committee by January 1, 2005, and annually thereafter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2004

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Report

Yea 51 Nay 0