

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2007**  
**H.B. No. 5299**

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**Introducer(s):**

Government Administration and Elections Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING COMPUTER SOFTWARE PURCHASED BY STATE AGENCIES.

**Statement of Purpose:** To require state agencies to consider the use of open source code software as an alternative to the use of proprietary software.

**Bill History:**

01/10/07 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee

01/29/07 VOTE TO DRAFT

02/13/07 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE

02/14/07 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee

02/16/07 PUBLIC HEARING 02/21<b

**Co-sponsor(s):**

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