

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 5645

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Referred to Committee on FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Introduced by:

REP. CHEESEMAN, 37th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TAX ON SOCIAL MEDIA PROVIDER COMPANIES.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to establish a tax on social
- 2 media provider companies on the apportioned annual gross revenue
- 3 derived from social media advertising services in the state, the revenue
- 4 from such tax to be dedicated, in part, to fund online bullying
- 5 prevention efforts and training and research for counselors and
- 6 educational institutions to address social isolation and suicide
- 7 prevention.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a tax on social media provider companies on the apportioned annual gross revenue derived from social media advertising services in the state.

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