
OLR Bill Analysis

SB 227

AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL INTERNET WEB SITES.

SUMMARY

This bill requires all municipalities, by July 1, 2026, to maintain a .gov Internet domain and register it with the Department of Homeland Security's Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency. Municipalities (i.e., cities and towns) must redirect any other domains they use to the .gov domain or stop using them. The bill's requirements apply regardless of any municipal charter, special act, or home rule ordinance that requires otherwise.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage

COMMITTEE ACTION

Planning and Development Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 21 Nay 0 (03/15/2024)