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**Joint Committee on  
Ways and Means**

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**To:** Public Safety Subcommittee  
**From:** Gregory Jolivette, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**Date:** May 28, 2019  
**Subject:** HB 2241 – Relating to state court technology fees

HB 2241 as introduced authorizes the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to impose fees on public bodies, namely state and local governments, for the cost of providing electronic filing services or electronic access to court records. Revenues are to be deposited into the State Court Technology Fund. The -3 amendment removes authority for the record access fee and authorizes a fee based on the number of civil and criminal cases (including violations) initiated by the public body in the circuit court. It also exempts state government from the fee. The measure is estimated to generate \$2.4 million in 2019-21.

**Recommended Changes**

LFO recommends adoption of the -3 amendment.

**MOTION: I move adoption of the -3 amendment to HB 2241. (VOTE)**

**Final Subcommittee Action**

LFO recommends that HB 2241, as amended by the -3 amendment, be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

**MOTION: I move HB 2241, as amended, to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation. (VOTE)**

**Carriers**

Full Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

House Floor: \_\_\_\_\_

Senate Floor: \_\_\_\_\_