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To: Human Services Subcommittee

From: Gregory Jolivette, Legislative Fiscal Office

Date: February 21, 2022

Subject: SB 1550 – Relating to the Office of Immigrant and Refugee Advancement
Work Session Recommendations

SB 1550 transfers the Office of Immigrant and Refugee Advancement from the Office of the Governor to the Department of Human Services (DHS) including all employees, records, property, and unexpended revenues.

Specifically, SB 1550 would authorize the transfer of four positions (3.83 FTE) and \$1,376,037 General Fund from the Office of the Governor to DHS. These budget adjustments will be included in HB 5202, the 2022 legislative session Omnibus Budget measure.

The measure previously had hearings in the Senate Committee on Human Services, Mental Health and Recovery on 2/8/2022 and 2/10/2022 and was reported out with a do pass.

Final Subcommittee Action

LFO recommends that SB 1550 be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

Carriers

Full Committee: _____

House Floor: _____

Senate Floor: _____