

Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 2533 Only impacts on Original or Engrossed

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SUMMARY

Digest: Extends the time that public records are exempt from release to the public when it is based on the lawyer-client privilege. (Flesch Readability Score: 60.6).

Extends the statutory timeline for inspection of public records when the exemption is based on attorney-client privilege.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure changes the statutory timeline for the inspection of public records that are exempt from disclosure due to attorney-client privilege to 50 years.

Currently, records that are exempt from disclosure due to attorney-client privilege cannot be inspected until they are more than 25 years old.