

SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF AMENDED BILL

Author: Kehoe Analyst: Darrine Distefano Bill Number: SB 1832
 Related Bills: See Prior Analysis Telephone: 845-4142 Amended Date: April 18, 2006
 Attorney: Patrick Kusiak Sponsor: _____

SUBJECT: Public Records/Waiver of Fees For Copy of Specified Records

- DEPARTMENT AMENDMENTS ACCEPTED. Amendments reflect suggestions of previous analysis of bill as introduced/amended _____.
- AMENDMENTS IMPACT REVENUE. A new revenue estimate is provided.
- AMENDMENTS DID NOT RESOLVE THE DEPARTMENTS CONCERNS stated in the previous analysis of bill as introduced February 24, 2006.
- FURTHER AMENDMENTS NECESSARY.
- DEPARTMENT POSITION CHANGED TO _____.
- REMAINDER OF PREVIOUS ANALYSIS OF BILL AS INTRODUCED February 24, 2006, STILL APPLIES.
- OTHER – See comments below.

SUMMARY

This bill would waive the fee for copies of public records under specified circumstances.

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

The April 18, 2006, amendments removed local agencies from the bill and removed the requirement for a requester’s expertise to be considered when an agency considers if the contribution to an understanding of the subject by the public is likely to result from the disclosure.

The April 18th amendments do not impact the department. The technical considerations of the bill, as introduced February 24, 2006, still applies and is provided below for convenience.

The remainder of the department’s analysis of the bill as introduced February 24th still applies.

POSITION

Pending.

Board Position:	Legislative Director	Date
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ANALYSIS

TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS

On page 3, line 7, and page 5, line 36, the word “new” should be spelled “news” to identify the news media.

On page 3, line 10, the word “expectation” is misspelled. The correct spelling should be “expectation.”

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