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Bill Number: HB2325

Patron: Simonds

Bill Title: State Board of Local and Regional Jails; work group to review standards and regulations for pregnant and postpartum incarcerated persons in local and regional correctional facilities; report.

Bill Summary: Directs the State Board of Local and Regional Jails to convene a work group to conduct a review of existing standards for pregnant and postpartum incarcerated persons in local and regional correctional facilities and to develop recommendations for new standards and recommendations for pregnant and postpartum incarcerated persons by considering certain best practices. The bill requires the work group to report such findings and recommendations to the Secretary of Public Safety and Homeland Security and to the Chairmen of the Senate and House Committees for Courts of Justice, the Senate Committee on Rehabilitation and Social Services, and the House Committee on Public Safety by July 1, 2026, and to adopt regulations consistent with such findings and recommendations by December 1, 2027.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No

Items Impacted: N/A

Explanation: N/A

Fiscal Summary:

According to the Department of Corrections (DOC), this proposal is not expected to have a fiscal impact on the Board of Local and Regional Jails (BOLRJ) or agency operations.

Fiscal Analysis:

N/A

Other: None