

House File 759

H-1140

1 Amend House File 759 as follows:

2 1. Page 19, before line 5 by inserting:

3 <Sec. \_\_\_\_ . NEW SECTION. 2.57 Minority impact statements.

4 1. Beginning January 1, 2020, a minority impact statement  
5 shall be attached to each bill and joint resolution prior to  
6 debate on the floor of a chamber of the general assembly. The  
7 statement shall include information concerning the impact of  
8 the legislation upon minority persons in the state, including  
9 but not limited to the impact upon economic opportunities,  
10 employment, incarceration, educational opportunities, voter  
11 rights and voting access, and other relevant matters. The  
12 statement shall be factual and shall, if possible, provide  
13 a reasonable estimate of both the immediate effect and the  
14 long-range impact upon minority persons. The legislative  
15 services agency shall develop a protocol for analyzing the  
16 impact of legislation on minority persons pursuant to this  
17 section. For purposes of this section, "*minority persons*" means  
18 the same as defined in section 8.11.

19 2. The legislative services agency shall cause to be  
20 prepared a minority impact statement within a reasonable time  
21 after a bill or joint resolution is placed on the calendar of  
22 either chamber of the general assembly. All minority impact  
23 statements approved by the legislative services agency shall be  
24 transmitted immediately to either the chief clerk of the house  
25 or the secretary of the senate, after notifying the sponsor  
26 of the legislation that the statement has been prepared for  
27 publication. The chief clerk of the house or the secretary  
28 of the senate shall attach the statement to the bill or joint  
29 resolution as soon as it is available.

30 3. The legislative services agency may request the  
31 cooperation of any state department or agency or political  
32 subdivision in preparing a minority impact statement.

33 4. A revised minority impact statement shall be prepared  
34 if the minority impact has been changed by the adoption of an  
35 amendment, and may be requested by a member of the general

1 assembly or be prepared upon a determination made by the  
2 legislative services agency. However, a request for a revised  
3 minority impact statement shall not delay action on the bill or  
4 joint resolution unless so ordered by the presiding officer of  
5 the chamber.>

6 2. By renumbering as necessary.

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