

Bill History
Session Year 2025
S.B. No. 955

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Introducer(s):

Government Administration and Elections Committee

Title: AN ACT REQUIRING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND STATE CONTRACTORS TO ENSURE INDIVIDUALS WITH LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY ARE ABLE TO ACCESS PUBLIC SERVICES.

Statement of Purpose: To require the adoption of various policies concerning the offering of translation and interpretation services to ensure that individuals with limited English proficiency have meaningful access to programs and services offered by state and local government agencies, contractors and other entities that receive state funding.

Bill History:

01-22-2025 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee
02-14-2025 VOTE TO DRAFT
03-13-2025 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE
03-14-2025 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee
03-17-2025 PUBLIC HEARING 03/21

Co-sponsor(s):

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