## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

## RS25880

The purpose of this legislation is to allow a victim of domestic violence to retain the use of an existing wireless telephone number and access to the contacts and other information that may be contained in an existing wireless telephone. For many victims of domestic violence, a wireless telephone is their lifeline to community resources, life-saving services, and support networks. Upon transfer of the wireless telephone number, the requesting party shall assume financial responsibility for all costs associated with the wireless telephone number.

## **FISCAL NOTE**

There is no impact to the General Fund or any dedicated funds, as this order would only transfer billing responsibilities to a new party. There should be no new costs to local units of government.

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