

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS30057 / H0037

This legislation reinstates the maximum duration of county leases for courthouses or jails to 30 years without the requirement of a public election, as was the legal process prior to 2022 and unanimously upheld as constitutional by the Idaho State Supreme Court.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund, nor is there a direct increase in local funds (property tax) as a result of this legislation. The bill seeks to alter the terms of county lease agreements, which may impact budget planning for county governments.

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