

|| SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA || BILL SUMMARY

Senate Resolution 263 Printer's No. 1529

Prime Sponsor: Senator Argall

Committee: Judiciary

SYNOPSIS:

This resolution directs the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to study overtime costs incurred by the Department of Corrections.

SUMMARY:

This resolution will direct the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a study of staffing levels and mandatory overtime within the Department of Corrections. The study will examine staffing levels compared to inmate population. The study will compare the cost of paying overtime to existing staff to the cost of hiring additional employees.

The resolution is based on increases in appropriations to the Department of Corrections and increases in the Department's overtime spending during a time when the inmate population has decreased.

BILL HISTORY:

There is no history for this resolution during this legislative session.

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