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HB-5283

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CLASSIFICATION OF PAROLE OFFICERS AS PEACE OFFICERS.

## **OFA Fiscal Note**

State Impact: None

**Municipal Impact:** None

Explanation

The bill adds parole officers to the definition of peace officer which allows parole officers additional powers and protections<sup>1</sup> resulting in no fiscal impact to the state.

The Out Years

State Impact: None

**Municipal Impact:** None

<sup>1</sup> These include making an arrest without a warrant, using a hand-held cellphone while driving, being considered a peace officer under the state's Blue Alert system, and using a search warrant to obtain a motor vehicles event data recorder.

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