

HB1326_L.007

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Energy & Environment.

HB26-1326 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 41, line 16 strike "(5)(c)(III)" and substitute
2 "(5)(c)(III); and **add** (5)(d.5), (6), and (7)".

3 Page 42, after line 9 insert:

4 "(d.5) THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION SHALL DEVELOP FLYERS
5 OR OTHER INFORMATIONAL DOCUMENTS TO INFORM MEMBERS OF THE
6 PUBLIC OF THE METHODS BY WHICH THEY MAY SUBMIT AN INFORMAL
7 COMPLAINT TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION REGARDING PENAL
8 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES. BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2027, EACH
9 CORRECTIONAL FACILITY SHALL POST THE DOCUMENTS IN A CONSPICUOUS
10 LOCATION WHERE THE DOCUMENTS MAY BE VIEWED BY VISITORS TO THE
11 CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.

12 (6) THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION MAY ADOPT RULES
13 IMPLEMENTING THIS SECTION, INCLUDING RULES:

14 (a) REQUIRING PENAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDERS TO
15 REPORT OUTAGES OF PENAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TO THE PUBLIC
16 UTILITIES COMMISSION; AND

17 (b) IMPOSING PENALTIES THAT COMPORT WITH SECTION 40-7-113.5
18 (1) FOR A PENAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER'S FAILURE TO
19 COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION THAT APPLY TO PENAL
20 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDERS.

21 (7) NOTHING IN THIS SECTION IS INTENDED TO ESTABLISH PUBLIC
22 UTILITIES COMMISSION AUTHORITY OVER CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."

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