

Subject Cloud Computing Projects

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Overview

This bill requires the state's chief information officer to establish metrics to assess the progress of cloud computing projects undertaken by state agencies; requires additional information in an existing legislative report related to cloud computing projects; and prohibits certain types of terms in software licensing contracts entered into by state agencies.

Summary

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| 1 | <p>Cloud computing services.</p> <p>Requires the state chief information officer to establish metrics to assess the progress of any state agency IT project that includes cloud computing. The chief information officer is required to consult with the Technology Advisory Council in establishing these metrics.</p> |
| 2 | <p>Cloud computing migration.</p> <p>Requires an existing report to the legislature on information technology projects within state agencies to include detail on the progress of cloud computing migration metrics, along with additional details regarding cost and timeline expectations for cloud computing projects.</p> |
| 3 | <p>Licensed software applications.</p> <p>Prohibits certain terms in software licensing contracts entered by state agencies, including a prohibition on installing or running the software based on who owns the hardware on which it is run; terms that increase the price of the software based on who owns the hardware on which it is run; and requirements that the software run on hardware dedicated solely to the purchasing agency.</p> |

This section applies to contracts entered on or after July 1, 2023.