

HB 1644 -- STATE AGENCY REQUIREMENTS

SPONSOR: Sommer

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Government Efficiency by a vote of 8 to 1.

This bill requires all executive state agencies and departments to publish all documents, opinions, forms, and other public information published in a physical format on each agency's or department's website. By January 1, 2019, each executive state agency's and department's website shall allow people to electronically respond to an agency or department communication, make contact with the agency or department, submit applications, forms, or other documents, and submit payments.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the state has a legacy IT system for which it is very hard to find parts when it needs fixed.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Sommer.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.