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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2025 REGULAR SESSION

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION	ON	J
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Date Prepared: 2/21/25 *Check all that apply:* Bill Number: HB491 Original X Correction Amendment Substitute

Agency Name

and Code General Services Department - 350

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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring	Fund	
FY25	FY26	or Nonrecurring	Affected	
NA	NA	NA	NA	

(Parenthesis () indicate expenditure decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring	Fund	
FY25	FY26	FY27	or Nonrecurring	Affected	
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY25	FY26	FY27	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to: Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis: HB491 amends the Construction Industries Licensing Act to provide more inspection resources for governments. The bill allows the Construction Industries Division to license private inspection companies to perform inspection services for governments; perform inspections for licensed contractors and homeowners to enforce and improve building safety; ensure contractor compliance with laws, codes and standards; and provide for a more efficient and cost-effective construction process for governments, contractors and homeowners.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

HB491 will have no fiscal, administrative, or performance impact on the General Services Department.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

TECHNICAL ISSUES

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

ALTERNATIVES

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

AMENDMENTS