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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2025 REGULAR SESSION

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Check all that apply:

Original **Amendment**

Date 2025-02-13

Correction **Substitute**

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Bill No: HB380

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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26		
0	0		
0	0		

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26	FY27		
0	0	0		

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ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATION BUDGET (dollars in thousands)

	FY25	FY26	FY27	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	0	0	0	0		

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:

Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act:

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

HB 380 introduces the Women's Safety and Protection Act, which establishes provisions for single-sex spaces in domestic violence shelters, public schools, and juvenile detention centers, along with clear definitions for each of these entities.

HB 380 would cover juvenile detention centers including facilities operated by the Children, Youth, and Families Department (CYFD).

Each section of this bill outlines specific requirements for the aforementioned entities—domestic violence shelters, public schools, and correctional and juvenile detention facilities.

Section 6 of the bill specifically addresses correctional facilities and juvenile detention centers. It mandates that these facilities ensure the privacy and safety of incarcerated women and girls by providing designated sleeping quarters and multiple changing rooms for the exclusive use of females.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There would be no fiscal impact for the Children, Youth, and Families Department's (CYFD) juvenile correctional facility at the Youth Diagnostic and Development Center (YDDC), where juvenile females, committed after adjudication, are in state custody.

At YDDC, female juveniles are accommodated in individual rooms with closed doors, ensuring privacy. They have separate shower and dressing facilities, with showers located in individual stalls. The Manzano housing unit, where these juveniles are housed, is designated exclusively for females.

As the facility already complies with the necessary privacy and safety standards, no additional costs are anticipated for improvements to the physical plant.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

There are no significant issues for CYFD with enacting this measure as the safety and protections outlined in this bill are already addressed in CYFD policy, procedure, and daily implementation.

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

None.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

None.

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

None.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None.

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None.

ALTERNATIVES

None.

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

None, as CYFD's juvenile correctional facility already adheres to the safety protocols outlined in this measure.

AMENDMENTS

None.