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## **Open Government Impact Statement**

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Measure: HB 2301

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## SUMMARY

Imposes tax on use of electricity to charge battery of electric vehicle at rate equivalent to rate of license tax imposed on first sale, use or distribution of motor vehicle fuel. Confers administration of tax on Department of Transportation.

Punishes violation of Act by maximum of 364 days' imprisonment, \$6,250 fine, or both.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

## **OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT**

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure prohibits the public disclosure of the business affairs, operations, or other information, including the amount or source of income, profits, losses, expenditures or any particular thereof, obtained during an investigation of records and equipment of any person related to the payment or recordkeeping provisions of the EV charging tax.

If those public records that could be subject to public disclosure were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could receive information received during an investigation to enforce the provisions of the EV charging tax statutes.