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Sponsor(s): Representatives Sheahan, Costa, Lambert, Cody, Sterk, Veloria, Mason, Kenney, O'Brien, Cole, Conway, Dickerson, Chopp, Kessler, Constantine and Wood

Brief Title: Recognizing foreign protection orders.

**HB 2532 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Finds that existing statutes may not provide an adequate mechanism for victims, police, prosecutors, and courts to enforce a foreign protection order in our state.

Declares an intent that the barriers faced by persons entitled to protection under a foreign protection order will be removed and that violations of foreign protection orders be criminally prosecuted in this state.