

2031-S

Sponsor(s): House Committee on Finance (originally sponsored by Representatives Cairnes, Crouse, Poulsen, Morris, Reardon, Delvin and Barlean)

Brief Description: Limiting the taxation of payphone services.

**HB 2031-S - DIGEST**

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Places limitations on the taxation of pay phone services.

Declares that, as used in this act, "payphone service" means making telephone service available to the public on a fee-per-call basis, independent of any other commercial transaction, for the purpose of making telephone calls, when the telephone can only be activated by inserting coins, calling collect, using a calling card or credit card, or dialing a toll-free number, and the provider of the service owns or leases the telephone equipment but does not own the telephone line providing the service to that equipment and has no affiliation with the owner of the telephone line.