

# SENATE AMENDMENTS

2<sup>nd</sup> Printing

By: Gonzales

H.B. No. 2422

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to consideration of cloud computing services when a state  
3 agency purchases services for a major information resources  
4 project.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 2157, Government Code, is  
7 amended by adding Section 2157.007 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 2157.007. CONSIDERATION OF CLOUD COMPUTING SERVICE  
9 PURCHASE. (a) "Cloud computing service" means a service that  
10 provides network access to a shared pool of configurable computing  
11 resources on demand, including networks, servers, storage,  
12 applications, or related technology services, that may be rapidly  
13 provisioned and released by the service provider with minimal  
14 effort and interaction. The term does not include  
15 telecommunications service or the act of hosting computing  
16 resources dedicated to a single purchaser.

17 (b) A state agency must consider cloud computing service  
18 options when making purchases for a major information resources  
19 project under Section 2054.118.

20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
24 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

# ADOPTED

MAY 22 2013

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. 1

*Arlene Spaw*  
Secretary of the Senate

BY: 

1 Amend C.S.H.B. 2422 (Senate Committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 1 of the bill strike "cloud" (page 1, line  
3 23) and insert "advanced internet-based".

4 (2) In SECTION 1 of the bill strike "cloud" (page 1, line  
5 24) and insert "advanced internet-based".

6 (3) In SECTION 1 of the bill strike "must" (page 1, line  
7 32) and insert "may".

8 (4) In SECTION 1 of the bill strike "cloud" (page 1, line  
9 32) and insert "advanced internet-based".

10 (5) In SECTION 1, add subsection (c), (page 1, between  
11 lines 34 and 35) accordingly: (c) A state agency shall ensure  
12 that information resources projects that use advanced internet-  
13 based computing service options meet or exceed required state  
14 standards for cybersecurity.

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO.

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BY:

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Amend H.B. No. 2422 (senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1, subsection (b), (page 1, line 34) insert after "option" and before "," including any cost associated with purchasing those service options.

(2) In SECTION 1 add subsection (d), (page 1, between line 34 and 35) accordingly: (d) Using existing resources, the department may review the process for the coordinated development, hosting, and management of computer software for state agencies that use advanced internet-based computing services.

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Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 83RD LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 23, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Joe Straus, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2422** by Gonzales, Larry (Relating to consideration of cloud computing services when a state agency purchases services for a major information resources project.), **As Passed 2nd House**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would amend the Government Code, Chapter 2157, to require state agencies to consider advance internet-based computing options when making purchases for major information resources projects.

Three agencies including the Comptroller of Public Accounts (CPA), the Department of Information Resources (DIR) and the State Auditor's Office (SAO) indicate no significant impact and that any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed within current resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 308 State Auditor's Office, 313 Department of Information Resources

**LBB Staff:** UP, KJo, SD, RB, JI, JJO, RC

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**FISCAL NOTE, 83RD LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 24, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Judith Zaffirini, Chair, Senate Committee on Government Organization

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2422** by Gonzales, Larry (Relating to consideration of cloud computing services when a state agency purchases services for a major information resources project.), **As Engrossed**

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**FISCAL NOTE, 83RD LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**March 20, 2013**

**TO:** Honorable Gary Elkins, Chair, House Committee On Technology

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2422** by Gonzales, Larry (Relating to consideration of cloud computing services when a state agency purchases services for a major information resources project.), **As Introduced**

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