

Bill History
Session Year 2026
Governor's H.B. No. 5035

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Introducer(s):

REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR PURSUANT TO JOINT RULE 9

Title: AN ACT REQUIRING SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO BAN CELLULAR PHONES IN THE CLASSROOM.

Statement of Purpose: To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.

Bill History:

02-05-2026 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Education Committee

02-13-2026 PUBLIC HEARING 02/20

Co-sponsor(s):

Sen. Saud Anwar, 3rd Dist. Rep. Laurie Sweet, 91st Dist.

Sen. Herron Gaston, 23rd Dist. Rep. Jane M. Garibay, 60th Dist.