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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6641

BILL NUMBER: SB 204

DATE PREPARED: Apr 6, 1999

BILL AMENDED: Apr 5, 1999

SUBJECT: Internet notice of state meetings and bid lists.

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**FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL**

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill requires state agencies to provide electronic access to notices of public meetings and invitations to bid on contracts for public works and supplies. It exempts work product of the Legislative Services Agency that is processed using proprietary software as part of an electronic geographic information system. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Interim Study Committee on State Government Issues.)

Effective Date: (Amended) Upon passage; July 1, 1999.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This bill places the current provisions of Executive Order 98-26 in statute by requiring state agencies to publish meeting notices and invitations to bid on contracts for public works and supplies on the Internet.

These agencies will be required to allocate an employee's time to transmit meeting notice and bid information to the Internet. Access Indiana provides a free 4-hour training session on how to transmit the required information to the Internet. There is no charge to state agencies to post information on Access Indiana.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Department of Administration and all other state agencies which required to publish notice of meetings, and all purchasing agencies; Legislative Services Agency; Legislative Council.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: *Indiana Register* (October 1998), pp.246-247.