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**A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4229 AS INTRODUCED 2-21-89**

Public Act 196 of 1984 amended the Administrative Procedures Act to provide that in contested cases under the act, the state is liable for costs and fees incurred by the other party if that party prevails and the state's position can be shown to be frivolous. Current law specifies that the provisions of P.A. 196 do not apply to contested cases commenced after September 30, 1987. House Bill 5003 would eliminate the September 30, 1987 sunset date.

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