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SUMMARY

- Requires the Director of Transportation to install a system of security cameras at all rest areas by June 30, 2031.
- Requires the Director of Transportation to consult with the Director of Public Safety and the Attorney General in determining the appropriate schedule for installation and maintenance of the security cameras.

DETAILED ANALYSIS

The bill requires the Director of Transportation to install and maintain a system of security cameras at each rest area over which the Department of Transportation (ODOT) has jurisdiction by June 30, 2031. The Director of Transportation must consult with the Director of Public Safety and the Attorney General in determining an appropriate schedule for the installation and maintenance of the security cameras. According to a spokesperson for ODOT, ODOT is currently installing security cameras at rest areas as those facilities are either built or renovated.²

HISTORY

Action	Date
Introduced	04-08-24
Reported, H. Homeland Security	12-05-24

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¹ R.C. 5501.03(A)(10).

² Email with ODOT spokesperson, September 25, 2023.