

REFERENCE TITLE: inmate telephone system service contracts.

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# SB 1711

Introduced by  
Senator Gonzales: Representative Hernandez L

## AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 11, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY  
ADDING SECTION 41-1604.21; RELATING TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF  
CORRECTIONS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 41, chapter 11, article 1, Arizona Revised  
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 41-1604.21, to read:

4 41-1604.21. Inmate telephone system service contracts;  
5 prohibited terms

6 THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT ENTER INTO A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT FOR INMATE  
7 TELEPHONE SYSTEM SERVICES THAT ALLOWS THE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT OR RECEIVE  
8 REVENUE IN EXCESS OF THE DEPARTMENT'S REASONABLE OPERATING COST FOR  
9 ESTABLISHING AND ADMINISTERING THE INMATE TELEPHONE SYSTEM SERVICES,  
10 INCLUDING A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT THAT ALLOWS COMMISSIONS, PROFIT SHARING,  
11 PERCENTAGE PAYMENTS, UP-FRONT SIGNING BONUSES, INFLATED RENT PAYMENTS OR  
12 SUPPLYING TECHNOLOGIES THAT ARE UNRELATED TO THE ACTUAL TELEPHONE SERVICE.