

**BILL SUMMARY**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB 1004</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>CCS (7878)</b>
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Representative Morgan</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Bill Summary**

Research Analyst: Arnella Karges

The Conference Committee Substitute (CCS) for HB1004 amends the definition of “refrigeration system” in the Mechanical Licensing Act, which is enforced by the Construction Industries Board. The CCS also includes a new section establishing a maximum apprentice-to-journeyman ratio for petroleum refinery journeyman licensees at not greater than 5 apprentices to 1 petroleum refinery journeyman. The new subsection specifies that this apprentice-to-journeyman ratio does not apply to other ratios established by the Construction Industries Board.

**Fiscal Summary**

Fiscal Analyst: Mark Nichols

HB 1004, as introduced, amends the definition of ‘refrigeration system’ in the Mechanical Licensing Act to remove the word ‘erection’. The CCS amends the section of law dealing with petroleum refinery mechanical journeymen to limit the maximum apprentice-to-journeyman ratio to five apprentices to one journeyman.

**Fiscal Analysis**

The measure amends the definition and ratio, but has no fiscal impact to the state.

**Long Term Fiscal Considerations**

None

Fiscal Analysis Reviewed by:

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