BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.: SB179 Version: ENGR

Request Number:

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Impact: No impact

Research Analysis

SB 179 modifies and adds certain definitions to the measure. The measure defines and creates the classification of Registered Behavior Technician or RBT. The measure modifies all references of licensed behavior analyst and certified assistant behavior analyst and replaces it with Board Certified Behavior Analyst and Board-Certified Assistant Behavior Analyst. Additionally, the measure modifies the qualifications for a Board-Certified Behavior Analyst and a Board-Certified Assistant Behavior Analyst. The measure removes the exemption for Board Certified Behavior Analyst and Board-Certified Assistant Behavior Analyst regarding possession of a qualifying degree.

The measure modifies the requirements for persons licensed or certified by the Developmental Disabilities Services. The measure amends "supervisee" and provides limited practice for supervisees. Lastly, the measure directs the Director of Human Services to promulgate rules instead of the Department of Human Services.

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Fiscal Analysis

After review, SB179 has no fiscal or revenue considerations to the state.

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Other Considerations

None.

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