

**BILL SUMMARY**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 60<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB1818</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>INT</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Research Analysis**

HB 1818, as introduced, changes references to "licensed social work associates (LSWA)" to "Licensed Bachelors Social Worker (LBSW)." The measure provides that the State Board of Licensed Social Workers will continue until July 1, 2026.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

Amendments to the Social Worker's Licensing Act are not expected to have a direct fiscal impact on the state budget.

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**Other Considerations**

None.