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Research Analysis

The proposed policy committee substitute for HB 1912 provides that the provisions of the act will commence on January 1, 2027.

HB 1912 creates the "Corn Masa Nutrition Enhancement Act," which provides that, commencing Jan. 1, 2027, corn masa flour that is manufactured, sold, delivered, distributed, held, offered for sale, or used as an ingredient in the manufacture of a food product must contain folic acid at a level of 0.7 milligrams of folic acid per pound of corn masa flour. Commencing Jan 1, 2027, wet corn masa product must contain folic acid at a level of 0.4 milligrams of folic acid per pound. Both corn masa flour or a wet corn masa product must include a declaration of folic acid on the nutrition label and a declaration that the product contains corn masa flour or was manufactured through a wet corn masa manufacturing process. A person is exempt from these requirements if they are a cottage food operation, a food facility, or a small-volume operator, or supply to any of these. This section does not apply to snack foods.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1912 is not anticipated to have a direct fiscal impact on the state budget.

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Other Considerations

None.