

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880

PRINTERS NO. 2615

PRIME SPONSOR: Gillespie

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2019/20	FY 2020/21
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY: House Bill 1880, Printer's Number 2615, amends the Health Care Facilities Act to remove the requirement for last names to be displayed on health care employees' identification badges. This legislation is effective in 60 days.

ANALYSIS: HB 1880 amends the Health Care Facilities Act to allow only the first name of the health care practitioner to be displayed on the photo identification tag. Additionally, a notation must be included on an identification badge to distinguish employees of the same first name, as determined by the health care facility.

HB 1880 also removes an exception to when last names can be omitted.

FISCAL IMPACT: Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds.

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Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.