

**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
FISCAL NOTE**

BILL NO. House Bill 1677

PRINTER NO. 3675

AMOUNT

No Fiscal Impact

FUND

General Fund

DATE INTRODUCED

July 21, 2017

PRIME SPONSOR

Representative Ortitay

DESCRIPTION

House Bill 1677 updates child day care language in the Human Services Code. References of "child day care" or "day care" are changed to "child care."

Within one year of the effective date, the Department of Human Services (DHS) must amend any existing regulation to reflect this change in terminology.

The legislation is scheduled to take effect in 60 days.

FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 1677 will have no adverse fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds. According to DHS, any costs related to updating current regulations could be accommodated within the agency's current workload and budget. The legislation does not mandate that private child care providers change their business names or operations to reflect this update, so no cost will be incurred by them from this legislation.