

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 1704 modifies penalties relating to unauthorized sales and transfers of medical marijuana. The measure clarifies that employees or agents of the business shall be subject to the penalty. Additionally, the measure reduces the time period from 5 years to 1 year as it relates to such transfers and increases the fine to \$5,000.00 for the first violation and \$15,000.00 for subsequent violations. Persons or businesses who conduct an unauthorized sale or transfer a second time shall, instead of may, be subject to loss of licensure.

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