BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

HB 1366, as introduced, enacts the American Association of Dental Boards Compact and requires the Governor to enter into a Compact on behalf of the state. The American Association of Dental Boards Compact allows the provisions as outlined in the bill. The measure provides that the member states create the AADB Dental and Dental Hygiene Compact and provides that each Member State Dental Board have two voting Commission members which will make the AADV Compact Commission. The compact will become active when it has five members. The Compact Commission will have the authority to enact bylaws and rules on behalf of the compact and provisions for the commission as well as the commission's duties and powers are outlined further in the measure. A dentist or dental hygienist applying for Compact license privileges must meet the requirements outlined and hold a current valid license in a member state and designate a home state of licensure. The measure outlines procedures for joint investigations between boards. The measure requires the AADB Compact Commission to promulgate rules to effectively and efficiently achieve the purposes of the Compact and the Commission will enforce the provisions and rules and attempt to resolve disputes. The measure outlines the process for becoming a member of the Compact and withdrawing as a member.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1366 creates the American Association of Dental Board (AADB) Compact to standardize the licensure process for dental professionals, allowing them to practice across multiple states without the need for additional licensure. The AADB Compact Commission is the authoritative body for rulemaking and overseeing the Compact. In addition, it is responsible for expenses incurred to establish the Compact and for its ongoing activities. Therefore, in its current form, HB 1366 is not anticipated to have a direct fiscal impact on the state budget.

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Other Considerations

None.