BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

HB 1887 requires a health care employer to adopt and implement policies to prevent surgical smoke exposure by requiring a smoke evacuation system be used during any surgical procedure likely to generate surgical smoke. The measure also includes relevant definitions.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1887 requires health care employers to utilize smoke evacuation systems during surgical procedures likely to generate surgical smoke. Health care employers are accountable for implementing these preventative policies. As a result, any associated costs will be covered by the health care employer, having no direct fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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