

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1356
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, strike “a certain exception” and substitute “certain exceptions”; in lines 5 and 6, strike “requiring each health occupation” and substitute “authorizing each health occupations”; strike beginning with the comma in line 6 down through “violation” in line 7; in line 8, after “name;” insert “providing that a violation may be reported to a certain health occupations board; authorizing a health occupations board to send certain letters in response to a reported violation;”; and in line 9, strike “administrative actions” and substitute “letters”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 14, after “(1)” insert “(I)”; in line 16, strike “(2)” and substitute “(II)”; in line 18, after “OFFICE” insert “; OR”

(2) THE PATIENT IS BEING SEEN IN:

(I) AN OPERATING ROOM OR OTHER SETTING WHERE SURGICAL OR OTHER INVASIVE PROCEDURES ARE PERFORMED; OR

(II) ANY OTHER SETTING WHERE MAINTAINING A STERILE ENVIRONMENT IS MEDICALLY NECESSARY;

in line 19, strike “OCCUPATION BOARD SHALL” and substitute “OCCUPATIONS BOARD MAY”; strike in their entirety lines 21 through 26, inclusive; and in line 27, strike “(3) (I)” and substitute “(2)”.

(Over)

On page 3, in lines 1 and 3, strike “1.” and “2.”, respectively, and substitute “(I)” and “(II)”, respectively; strike in their entirety lines 5 through 7, inclusive, and substitute:

“(3) A VIOLATION MAY BE REPORTED TO THE HEALTH OCCUPATIONS BOARD THAT LICENSED OR CERTIFIED THE HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONER.

“(4) IN RESPONSE TO A REPORTED VIOLATION, A HEALTH OCCUPATIONS BOARD MAY SEND AN ADVISORY LETTER OR A LETTER OF EDUCATION TO THE HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONER.”;

and in line 8, strike “ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION TAKEN BY A HEALTH OCCUPATION” and substitute “ADVISORY LETTER OR LETTER OF EDUCATION SENT BY A HEALTH OCCUPATIONS”.