

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS25651

This legislation, proposed by the Occupational Therapy Licensure Board, removes obsolete terms related to qualifications for board appointments from the Occupational Therapy Practice Act (Act). It clarifies that the definitions of "Graduate Occupational Therapy Assistant," "Occupational Therapist," and "Occupational Therapy Assistant" refer to persons regulated by the Act, and it removes an obsolete provision pertaining to endorsement licensure.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no impact to the General Fund, because the board operates solely on dedicated funds. There is no impact to the Bureau of Occupational Licenses dedicated fund since the proposed legislation will not alter the number of board meetings held each year or require more services be provided to the board.

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