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Impact: Please see previous summary of this measure	

Research Analysis

The proposed committee substitute to SB 613 prohibits any health care provider from knowingly providing gender transition procedures to any child, and finds any person violating this prohibition to be guilty of a felony.

The measure provides that the parent or legal guardian of a child subjected to gender transition procedures may bring a civil action against the health care provider who provided such treatment. The child who received the procedure may also bring an action upon reaching the age of majority, and until the child reaches the age of 45.

The measure authorizes the court to award compensatory damages, punitive damages, injunctive relief, or any other appropriate relief, and authorizes the Attorney General to bring an action to enforce compliance with the provisions of this measure.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.

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