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## EMERGENCY CERTIFICATION

HB-6515

AN ACT CREATING A RESPECTFUL AND OPEN WORLD FOR  
NATURAL HAIR.

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### ***OFA Fiscal Note***

***State Impact:*** None

***Municipal Impact:*** None

### ***Explanation***

The bill expands the prohibition of discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodation, and credit transactions on the basis of natural hair and texture associated with race.

The bill has no fiscal impact as it is expected that the Commission of Human Rights and Opportunities (CHRO) can handle new complaints using existing staff.

### ***The Out Years***

There is no ongoing fiscal impact in the outyears.

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