

RESOLUTION 58-07A

Title: Make Smoking Around Children in a Confined Environment
a Form of Abuse

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House Action: No Action

Whereas, the significantly deleterious health impact of second-hand smoke on children is well known, and

Whereas, there are many environments that do not allow the escape of second-hand smoke to reduce the exposure to zero for children, and

Whereas, subjecting children to second-hand smoke in an enclosed environment is highly likely to cause deleterious health impacts on a child; therefore be it

RESOLVED: That MSMS pursue legislation that would categorize smoking around children in a confined environment as abuse.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE