

Bill Summary
1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 801
Version:	FS1
Request No.:	2006
Author:	Sen. Smalley
Date:	02/25/2019

Floor Substitute (FS)

SB 801 modifies the authority of “Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists” to administer anesthesia. The measure specifies that the nurse will administer the drug in collaboration with, instead of under the supervision of a physician. Additionally, the measure removes the requirement for a nurse to administer the drug under conditions in which timely, onsite consultation with a physician is possible.

The FS for SB 801 defines “collaboration” as it pertains to a Nurse Anesthetist administering anesthesia to a patient. Collaboration refers to a cooperative working relationship between a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist and the allopathic or osteopathic physician, podiatrist, or dentist.

Prepared by: Kalen Taylor