

Department of Planning and Budget 2001 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. **Bill Number** SB1217ER

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. **Patron** Whipple

3. **Committee** Passed Both Houses

4. **Title** Absentee ballot application for permanently ill or disabled voters.

5. **Summary/Purpose:**

The bill would allow ill or disabled voters to file a single application for an annual absentee ballot for all future elections in which he is eligible to vote.

6. **No Fiscal Impact**

7. **Budget amendment necessary:** No

8. **Fiscal implications:** No fiscal impact on the State Board of Elections, however, it is possible for there to be an unmeasurable postage impact on local registrars.

9. **Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** State Board of Election, local registrars.

10. **Technical amendment necessary:** No

11. **Other comments:** HB1579 is similar legislation.

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cc: Secretary of Administration

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