Department of Planning and Budget 2004 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number SB594			
	House of Orig	in X Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled
2.	Patron	Howell		

- **3. Committee** Commerce and Labor
- **4. Title** Health Insurance; coverage for prescription contraceptives.

5. Summary/Purpose:

Requires health insurers, corporations providing accident and sickness subscription contracts, and health maintenance organizations, whose policies, contracts, or plans include prescription drugs on an outpatient basis, to include coverage for any prescribed drug or device approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration for use as a contraceptive.

6. No Fiscal Impact

- 7. Budget amendment necessary: No
- **8. Fiscal implications:** The state employee health insurance plan currently includes the coverage mandated by the proposed legislation.
- **9.** Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: All political subdivisions that offer health insurance plans to their employees.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No

11. Other comments: None

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cc: Secretary of Administration