

## Department of Planning and Budget 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number** HB172

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

**2. Patron** Lingamfelter

**3. Committee** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

**4. Title** Wildlife diseases; control thereof.

**5. Summary/Purpose:** Authorizes the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries, in consultation with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to promulgate regulations to control and eradicate wildlife diseases.

**6. No Fiscal Impact.**

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No.

**8. Fiscal implications:** Authorizing the promulgation of regulations has no fiscal impact.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Department of Game and Inland Fisheries and the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** No.

**11. Other comments:** The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services is responsible for regulating livestock and poultry. It is unclear what, if any, impact the bill may have on that function.

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