## Department of Planning and Budget 2006 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number HB 726	
	House of Origin	
	<b>Second House</b>	☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled
2.	Patron	McQuigg, Michele B.
3.	Committee	Health, Welfare and Institutions
4.	Title	Adoption; parental consent prior to minor petitioning therefor
5.	<b>Summary/Purpose:</b> Requires that any birth parent 14 years of age or younger must receive parental consent prior to petitioning for adoption or entering an entrustment agreement. The bill provides for judicial consent in lieu of parental consent.	
6.	No Fiscal Impact	
7.	Budget amendment necessary: No	
8.	Fiscal implications: None	
9.	Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Department of Social Services	
10. Technical amendment necessary: No		
11. Other comments: None		
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cc:	c: Secretary of Health and Human Resources	