

Department of Planning and Budget 2010 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB 1133

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☒ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Keam

3. Committee: -

4. Title: Entrustment agreements; clarifies requirements for valid agreement terminating parental rights

5. Summary: The legislation provides that prior to the placement of a child for adoption, the licensed child-placing agency or local board having custody of the child must provide an explanation of the adoption process to the birth mother and, if reasonably available, the man who is an acknowledged father.

6. No Fiscal Impact

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

8. Fiscal Implications: This legislation would codify current practice and therefore have no fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:
Department of Social Services

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

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