

**Department of Planning and Budget
2013 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number: SB 1186

House of Origin ☐ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☒ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron: Vogel

3. Committee: Education and Health

4. Title: State Medical Assistance Plan; investigatory powers of the Attorney General; allowable charge for services..

5. Summary: Expands the authority of the Attorney General or his authorized representatives in auditing and investigating providers of services under the State Medical Assistance Plan. Subpoenas are excepted from certain provisions related to health records privacy and notice provisions, and information developed during a civil investigation is privileged.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final

8. Fiscal Implications: The Office of the Attorney General indicates that the provisions of this bill can be absorbed within the agency's current operations and thus no fiscal impact is anticipated as a result of the provisions that expand the Attorney General's authority.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Office of the Attorney General and Department of Law.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: Not applicable.

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 2/18/2013