

## **Department of Planning and Budget**

### **2016 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB674

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

**2. Patron:** Peace

**3. Committee:** Health, Welfare and Institutions

**4. Title:** Kinship foster care; waiver of foster home approval standards.

**5. Summary:** Kinship foster care; waiver of foster home approval standards. Allows local boards of social services, subject to approval by the Commissioner of the Department of Social Services, to grant a waiver regarding the Board's standards for foster home approval, set forth in regulations, which are not related to safety.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** None.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** This bill makes technical changes to the Code. There is no fiscal impact.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Department of Social Services and local Departments of Social Services

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:**