Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number	:: SB 1	167					
	House of Origi	in	Introduced		Substitute	\boxtimes	Engrossed	
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute		Enrolled	
2.	Patron:	Chafin						
3.	Committee: -							
4.	Title: Medicaid recipients; treatment involving opioids or opioid replacements, coverage of health care							
5.	Summary: The amended legislation prohibits health care providers licensed by the Board of Medicine from requesting or requiring a patient who is a recipient of medical assistance services pursuant to the state plan for medical assistance to whom health care services involving (i) the prescription of an opioid for the management of pain or (ii) the prescription of buprenorphine-containing products, methadone, or other opioid replacements approved for the treatment of opioid addiction by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for medication-assisted treatment of opioid addiction are provided to pay costs associated with the provision of such service out-of-pocket, unless such provider has received (a) a rejection of prior authorization, (b) a rejection of a submitted claim, or (c) a written denial of reimbursement for such service from the Department of Medical Assistance Services or its contractor.							
6.	Budget Amendment Necessary: No							
7.	No Fiscal Impact							
8.	Fiscal Implications: None							
9.	Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Medical Assistance Services							
10.	10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No							

11. Other Comments: None