Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB230-H1					
	House of Origin		Introduced	\boxtimes	Substitute		Engrossed
	Second House		In Committee		Substitute		Enrolled

- 2. Patron: Simonds
- 3. Committee: Appropriations
- 4. Title: Health insurance; cost sharing for breast examinations.
- 5. Summary: Prohibits health insurance carriers from imposing cost sharing for diagnostic breast examinations and supplemental breast examinations, as those terms are defined in the bill, under certain insurance policies, subscription contracts, and health care plans delivered, issued for delivery, or renewed in the Commonwealth on and after January 1, 2025. The bill provides that such examinations include examinations using diagnostic mammography, breast magnetic resonance imaging, or breast ultrasound. The substitute incorporates HB 921.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No see Item 8.
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary see Item 8.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Department of Human Resource Management, the proposed legislation is expected to have an annual fiscal impact of \$460,000 on the state health insurance plan. Approximately half of this amount would be supported with general fund. The fiscal impact is not expected to change the health insurance premiums funded in HB 30.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Human Resource Management
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.
- **11. Other Comments:** The fiscal impact statement has been revised based on information received from the State Corporation Commission as the substitute does not impact qualified health plans sold through the Health Benefit Exchange.