

## Department of Planning and Budget 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number** SB 1024

<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** Puller

**3. Committee** General Laws and Technology

**4. Title** Health and Human Resources, Secretary of; duties

**5. Summary/Purpose:** Provides that the Secretary of Health and Human Resources shall serve as the lead Secretary for the coordination and implementation of the long-term care policy of the Commonwealth, working with the Secretaries of Transportation, Commerce and Trade, and Education, and the Commissioner of Insurance, to facilitate interagency service development and implementation, communication, and cooperation.

**6. No Fiscal Impact**

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No

**8. Fiscal implications:** The Office of the Secretary of Health and Human Resources already coordinates long term care policy for state agencies. This legislation will replace the current Code language and clarify the Office's responsibilities. Existing staff can continue to perform the required duties without additional resources.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:**  
Office of the Secretary of Health and Human Resources

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** No

**11. Other comments:** None

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cc: Secretary of Health and Human Resources