Department of Planning and Budget 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number SB1229	
	House of Ori	gin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
	Second Hous	e In Committee Substitute Enrolled
2.	Patron	Howell
3.	Committee	Education and Health
4.	Title	Sex offender registry notification - nursing homes and assisted living facilities
5.	Summary/Purpose : The bill requires nursing homes and assisted living facilities to register with the Department of State Police to receive notice of the registration or reregistration of any sex offender within the same contiguous zip code of the facility. In addition, each facility must also ascertain prior to admission whether a potential patient is a registered sex offender.	
6.	No Fiscal Impact	
7.	Budget amendment necessary: No.	
8.	Fiscal implications: None. The bill adds a requirement for nursing homes and assisted living facilities to register with the State Police to receive notices regarding registered sex offenders. The notification system is fully automated and will send notices electronically and thus imposes no cost on the state.	
9.	. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: None.	
10. Technical amendment necessary: No.		
11. Other comments: None.		
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cc: Secretary of Health and Human Resources		