

## Department of Planning and Budget 2008 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** SB348

House of Origin	<u>X</u>	Introduced	<u>  </u>	Substitute	<u>  </u>	Engrossed
Second House	<u>  </u>	In Committee	<u>  </u>	Substitute	<u>  </u>	Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Blevins

**3. Committee:** General Laws and Technology

**4. Title:** Department of the Treasury; Risk Management Division; coverage for area agencies on aging.

**5. Summary:** Department of the Treasury; Risk Management Division; coverage for area agencies on aging. Clarifies that local automobile insurance for vehicles used by local chapters or programs of the Meals on Wheels Association of America or any area agency on aging to provide nutritional services to the elderly, homebound, or disabled are to be included in the coverage provided under the State's risk management plan.

**6. No Fiscal Impact.**

**7. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The original legislation that provided coverage for Meals on Wheels and the area agencies on aging, specified coverage for the agency only. This bill expands the coverage to volunteer private citizens operating vehicles to deliver meals and other nutritional services on behalf of the agency. This coverage is a part of the local government insurance program that is voluntary and pays for itself through premiums charged to the users. There is no fiscal impact to the Commonwealth.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Department of the Treasury, Division of Risk Management.

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

**11. Other Comments:** None.

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cc: Secretary of Finance