

Department of Planning and Budget 2010 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB 728

House of Origin X Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Quayle

3. Committee: Courts of Justice

4. Title: Child support orders; emergency

5. Summary: This bill eliminates the ability of the Department of Social Services to order 2.5 percent cash medical support payments from the noncustodial parent when the child is a recipient of Medicaid or the Family Access to Medical Insurance Security (FAMIS). The bill also terminates existing 2.5 percent payments and requires the department to repay any 2.5 percent payments received since July 1, 2009.

6. Minimal Fiscal Impact

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

8. Fiscal Implications: Since July 1, 2009, the department has collected \$847.65 (associated with approximately ten cases) in medical support payments for children who receive Medicaid or FAMIS. This funding will be returned to the noncustodial parents under the provisions of this bill at a minimal cost to the Department of Social Services. The Department of Medical Assistance Services will not be impacted by this legislation.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:
Department of Social Services

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None

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