

## Department of Planning and Budget 2011 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** SB 892

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron:** W. Wampler, Jr.

**3. Committee:** Passed Both Houses

**4. Title:** Department of Human Resource Management; TRICARE supplemental health coverage.

**5. Summary:** Authorizes the Department of Human Resource Management to offer coverage under the state's cafeteria plan established under § 125 of the Internal Revenue Code to military retirees and their dependents who are eligible for benefits under the TRICARE Military Health System supplemental health plan.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** See Item 8 below

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The Department of Human Resource Management indicates that the provisions of this bill may have a minimal administrative impact on their operations. However, the premiums charged under the new TRICARE supplemental plan will be designed to cover any added administrative which would result in a net zero fiscal impact. There will be no employer contribution for the TRICARE supplemental plan. Consequently, there will be no adverse fiscal impact to agency budgets as a result of the new plan.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** State agencies and state employees who are eligible for benefits under the TRICARE Military Health System.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** Not Applicable

**11. Other Comments:** This bill is identical to HB 1761

**Date:** Thursday, February 24, 2011