

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **HB 457** HLS 23RS 908
 Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**
 Opp. Chamb. Action:
 Proposed Amd.:
 Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Certificate of miscarried child		

VITAL RECORDS/BIRTH CERT EG SEE FISC NOTE SG RV See Note
 Provides for a Commemorative Certificate of Miscarried Child

Proposed law establishes a commemorative certificate of miscarried child.
Proposed law provides that the Vital Records Registry shall issue a commemorative certificate of miscarried child upon receipt of a request from a patient.
Proposed law provides that the initial commemorative certificate of miscarried child shall be provided at no charge with all subsequent requests complying with present law fee schedules.

EXPENDITURES	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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Annual Total						

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. LDH indicates that issuing a certificate of miscarried child, upon request, can be accomplished with existing resources.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

The bill provides that an initial certificate will be provided without a fee. To the extent that additional certificates are requested, the bill provides that LDH shall charge the same fee as certificates of live birth, which is \$5 for a short form and \$11 for a long form. The LFO cannot anticipate the amount of revenue that may be collected for the issuance of additional certificates.

Senate Dual Referral Rules
 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}
 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

House
 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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