## LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE Fiscal Note



Dept./Agy.:LDH

Fiscal Note On: **HB** 457 HLS 23RS

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Opp. Chamb. Action: Proposed Amd.:

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Sub. Bill For.:

Subject: Certificate of miscarried child

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Provides for a Commemorative Certificate of Miscarried Child

<u>Proposed law</u> establishes a commemorative certificate of miscarried child.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the Vital Records Registry shall issue a commemorative certificate of miscarried child upon receipt of a request from a patient.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the initial commemorative certificate of miscarried child shall be provided at no charge with all subsequent requests complying with <u>present law</u> 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	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
REVENUES	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
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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>	<u>\$0</u>
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.

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<u>House</u>  $= 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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