

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 780** HLS 24RS 1647

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Contracts for Fiscal Intermediary Services		

PROCUREMENT

OR NO IMPACT See Note

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Provides relative to the extension of existing fiscal intermediary contracts

Present law allows for one year extensions on contracts that provide fiscal intermediary services if substantive program changes are made by the U.S. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) or the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) which materially impact the services provided by the fiscal intermediary. Proposed law would allow contract extensions of up to three years and retain the same criteria to initiate the extension.

EXPENDITURES	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	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	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. Current law allows fiscal intermediary services contracts to be entered into for 120 months (10 years) with the option to extend a contract in one-year increments. Proposed law would increase the term of an extension to no more than three years. Proposed legislation retains the requirement for approval of the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget (JLCB) before an extension can commence.

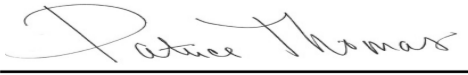
Note: The Legislative Fiscal Office is awaiting a response from the Department of Health for impacts related to this legislation to incorporate into this fiscal note. Should the information contained in the agency's response materially change the analysis, this fiscal note will be updated to reflect the new information.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

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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