

FISCAL ESTIMATE FORM

1999 Session

- ORIGINAL
- CORRECTED
- UPDATED
- SUPPLEMENTAL

LRB # - 1312/2
INTRODUCTION # AB 392
 Admin. Rule #

Subject
 Prohibiting insurers from refusing to provide coverage for victims of child or domestic abuse.

Fiscal Effect

State: No State Fiscal Effect

Check columns below only if bill makes a direct appropriation or affects a sum sufficient appropriation.

- Increase Existing Appropriation
- Decrease Existing Appropriation
- Create New Appropriation
- Increase Existing Revenues
- Decrease Existing Revenues

- Increase Costs - May be possible to Absorb Within Agency's Budget Yes No
- Decrease Costs

Local: No local government costs

- 1. Increase Costs
 - Permissive
 - Mandatory
- 2. Decrease Costs
 - Permissive
 - Mandatory

- 3. Increase Revenues
 - Permissive
 - Mandatory
- 4. Decrease Revenues
 - Permissive
 - Mandatory

5. Types of Local Governmental Units Affected:
- Towns
 - Villages
 - Cities
 - Counties
 - Others _____
 - School Districts
 - WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected

- GPR
- FED
- PRO
- PRS
- SEG
- SEG-S

Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate:

AB 392 prohibits an insurer from refusing to provide, renew or cancel coverage to a person if the insurer believes the person is a victim of child or domestic abuse. The bill does provide that for life, disability income or long-term care insurance, an insurer can refuse to issue a policy that would name as beneficiary of the person, a perpetrator of a child or domestic abuse victim.

This bill has minimal if any fiscal impact since the state group health insurance plans currently provide coverage for these services.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications:

None.

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