

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	07-1271/1	Introduction Number	AB-0356	Estimate Type	Original
Description Requiring the Department of Transportation to establish rules allowing living will and health care power of attorney information to be included on driver's licenses, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from rule-making procedures, and granting rule-making authority					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law the Department designs living will and health care power of attorney forms and distributes the forms to health care professionals, hospitals, nursing homes, county clerks, local bar associates and to individuals who request the forms.

AB 356 requires the Department of Transportation (DOT) to establish rules under which individuals with living wills or health care power of attorney forms can add information to their drivers' licenses regarding the identity of those individuals who have custody of the living wills or are agents under a power of attorney form. DOT is also required to post the Department's forms on its website.

This bill is not anticipated to have a fiscal effect on the Department.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications