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**1999 Session**

LRB or Bill No. -- Adm. Rule No.  
**AB-32 --0717/1**

Amendment No. if Applicable

**FISCAL ESTIMATE**  
**DOA-2048 N(R10/94)**

**Subject**  
**WORKER'S COMPENSATION**

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

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 Government 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:**  
 20.445(1)(ha)

**Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

Under current law, the records of the Worker's Compensation Division which identify injured workers are open for inspection and copying by the parties to a claim (an employer, employe, or insurer) but are basically closed to the general public. Other records which do not identify injured workers are generally open to everyone.

This bill would limit general public access to any "record of the department relating to the administration of this chapter (Ch. 102)." While it is not clear if this is intended to limit all general public access to the Division's records, it is clearly intended to narrow, rather than to expand, general public access. Since there are few requests for worker's compensation records by people who are not parties to a claim this bill would have no fiscal effect.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

None.

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**FISCAL ESTIMATE  
WORKSHEET**

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Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect DOA-2047(R10/94)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original	<input type="checkbox"/> Updated	LRB or Bill No./Adm Rule No. AB-32 / 0717/1	Amendment No.
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Subject  
**WORKER'S COMPENSATION**

I. One-time Costs or Revenue Impacts for State and/or Local Government (do not include in annualized fiscal effect):  
None.

II. Annualized Costs:	Annualized Fiscal Impact on State funds from:	
	Increased Costs	Decreased Costs
<b>A. State Costs by Category</b>		
State Operations - Salaries and Fringes	\$0	- \$0
(FTE Position Changes)	(FTE)	(- FTE)
State Operations - Other Costs	\$0	- \$0
Local Assistance	\$0	- \$0
Aids to Individuals or Organizations	\$0	- \$0
<b>TOTAL State Costs by Category</b>	\$0	- \$0
<b>B. State Costs by Source of Funds</b>	<b>Increased Costs</b>	<b>Decreased Costs</b>
GPR	\$0	- \$0
FED	\$0	- \$0
PRO/PRS	\$0	- \$0
SEG/SEG-S	\$0	- \$0
<b>III. State Revenues - Complete this only when proposal will increase or decrease state revenues (e.g., tax increase, decrease in license fee, etc.)</b>	<b>Increased Rev.</b>	<b>Decreased Rev.</b>
GPR Taxes	\$0	- \$0
GPR Earned	\$0	- \$0
FED	\$0	- \$0
PRO/PRS	\$0	- \$0
SEG/SEG-S	\$0	- \$0
<b>TOTAL State Revenues:</b>	\$0	- \$0

**NET ANNUALIZED FISCAL IMPACT**

	<u>STATE</u>	<u>LOCAL</u>
Net Change in Costs:	\$0	\$0
Net Change in Revenues:	\$0	\$0

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