

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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LRB Number	05-0035/4	Introduction Number	AB-1146	Estimate Type	Original
Description Authorizing access by the long-term care ombudsman or his or her representative to a client or resident in a residential care apartment complex, imposing an annual assessment on occupied apartments of residential care apartment complexes, expanding rights of residents of facilities; minimum staffing requirements for certain nursing homes; requiring audits by the Legislative Audit Bureau; requiring reports; caregiver background checks; quality of nursing home care; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority; and making an appropriation					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The evaluations called for under AB-1146 can be accommodated within current agency operations, though evaluations may delay other evaluation projects and reduce the flexibility of the Joint Legislative Audit Committee in directing the Audit Bureau to conduct future evaluations.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications