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MEMORANDUM

To: Representative Kerkman

From: Debora A. Kennedy, Managing Attorney, (608) 266-0137

Subject: Technical Memorandum to **2007 AB 305** (LRB-1482/3) by **DOR**

We received the attached technical memorandum relating to your bill. This copy is for your information and your file.

If you wish to discuss this memorandum or the necessity of revising your bill or preparing an amendment, please contact me.

Date: May 15, 2007

To: Debora Kennedy
Attorney
Legislative Reference Bureau

From: Ellen Hadidian
Department of Health and Family Services

Re: Technical Note to LRB 1482/3 (AB 305)

AB 305 requires the Department to prepare and provide declaration of intent forms to various organizations and to individuals upon request. The Department is allowed to charge a fee for the costs of these forms.

Currently the Department prints and distributes other forms, such as the living will and power-of-attorney forms, without charge to individuals. For bulk orders of the form, the Department charges \$7/hundred for living will forms and \$10/hundred for power of attorney forms. Revenue received from these forms is not used to pay for the cost of the forms but is returned to the general fund as GPR-earned. The forms are currently paid for by state GPR.

In order for the Department to be able to use the revenue generated by sales of declaration of intent forms, it would be necessary to create a program revenue appropriation within s.20.435 (1) to accept this revenue.