## Fiscal Estimate - 2009 Session

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LRB	Number	09-1231/2	,	Introd	duction Numb	er A	B-0389					
	<b>Description</b> Requiring nursing homes to notify residents of certain alleged violations and providing a penalty											
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## **Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

The Board on Aging and Long Term Care operates the Long Term Care Ombudsman Program which frequently has contact with residents affected by the circumstances described in this bill. It is often, but not always, the case that the Ombudsman is contacted independently of the regulatory agency that would assess the forfeitures described in the bill to address the same concern that gives rise to the citation.

The activities of the Ombudsman will remain unaffected by the implementation of the process required by the bill to be completed by the care provider.

The Board on Aging and Lolng Term Care has no way of assessing what potential local fiscal effects might arise from passage of AB 389.

## **Long-Range Fiscal Implications**

AB 389 raises no foreseeable long range fiscal implications for this agency.