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Description permitting certain individuals to make requests for medication for the purpose of ending their lives and providing a penalty						

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill permits an individual who is of sound mind, is not incapacitated, is at least 18 years of age, is a resident of Wisconsin, and has a terminal disease to request voluntarily medication from his or her attending physician for the purpose of ending the individual's life in a humane and dignified manner. The bill authorizes the individual's attending physician to issue a prescription for the medication if specified requirements are met. Further, the bill creates a statutory request for medication authorization form and requires that the Department of Health Services prepare and provide copies of the form for distribution to certain facilities, associations, and persons.

The immediate fiscal impact on District Attorney offices, if any, resulting from this legislation is unknown. Further study would be needed to assess the potential impact.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

The long-term fiscal impact on District Attorney offices, if any, resulting from this legislation is unknown. Further study would be needed to assess the potential impact.