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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6515**  
**BILL NUMBER: SB 207**

**NOTE PREPARED: Jan 2, 2007**  
**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Medical adverse event reporting.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Dillon  
**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:** \_\_\_ **GENERAL**  
**DEDICATED**  
**FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** Pending

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill requires a health care facility to file, with an agency selected by the State Department of Health, patient safety incident reports concerning certain acts that have caused or could have caused harm to a patient. The bill allows other persons to file the reports. It also requires the agency to receive, process, and summarize the reports. The bill makes the reports and certain other information confidential.

The bill also requires the State Department of Health to study and develop quality indicators for infections and establish infection monitoring systems as part of the Health Care Quality Indicator Data Program.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2007.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** *As of the above date, the fiscal analysis of this bill has not been completed. Please contact the Office of Fiscal and Management Analysis for an update of this fiscal impact statement.*

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**

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