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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6937

BILL NUMBER: SB 329

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 5, 2010

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Preadmission screening for nursing homes.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Deig

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: ___ **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: Pending

Summary of Legislation: Specifies that a screening team's identification of an applicant for nursing facility services as mentally retarded or mentally ill must be based on written medical documentation that reasonably shows that the individual meets each component of the federal definitions of the terms. States that placement in a nursing facility may not be denied if the applicant has been diagnosed with spina bifida and the applicant's health provider has provided written documentation that the applicant needs the level of care provided in a nursing facility.

Effective Date: July 1, 2010.

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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