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Identifier: SB3006-DHSS-HCS-09-07-21 Department: Department of Health and Social Services

Title: HEALTH CARE REQS; COVID-19; TELEHEALTH Appropriation: Health Care Services
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR Allocation: Residential Licensing
Requester: Governor OMB Component Number: 245

Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include in	nflation unless of	otherwise noted	l below.			(Thousar	nds of Dollars)
		Included in					
	FY2022	Governor's					
	Appropriation	FY2022		Out-\	Year Cost Estin	nates	
	Requested	Request					
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2022	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Positions

Full-time				
Part-time				
Temporary				

Change in Revenues

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2021) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2022) cost: 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No

(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? No If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? N/A

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Updated to reflect potential revenue impacts.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This bill suspends the background check requirements for hospitals and skilled nursing facilities until July 1, 2022. Revenue impacts to the division are indeterminate. If the suspension is maintained through the entirety of fiscal year 2022 estimated forgone revenue could be as high as \$192,000, based on the assumption of approximately 4,800 applications for which revenue will not be received in FY2022.
The Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS) Background Check Unit charges \$88.25 per application. The DHSS background check application processing fee is \$40 and the Department of Public Safety (DPS) fee to process the fingerprints is \$48.25 totaling the \$88.25 per application charge. DPS' portion of the \$48.25 includes \$35 State fee, plus \$13.25 fee for FBI background check paid directly to the FBI with the state retaining \$2 of the FBI fee for processing costs.

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