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FISCAL NOTE

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FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.
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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Office of State Courts Administrator**, the **Department of Social Services**, the **Department of Public Safety - Director's Office**, the **Department of Public Safety - State Emergency Management Agency**, and the **Department of Economic Development - Division of Professional Registration** assume this proposal would not fiscally impact their agencies.

Officials from the **Department of Mental Health (DMH)** state this proposal does not specify any approval procedures on the part of management, but DMH assumes an employee would be required to obtain some approval from the appointing authority authorizing release to participate in such volunteer activities. DMH assumes that no detriment to the level of care administered by DMH facilities would result from this proposal. DMH assumes that emergency deployment of staff would not be so great as to require any new staff, expense, or equipment.

Officials from the **Department of Health and Senior Services (DOH)** assume this proposal would not fiscally impact their agency. DOH assumes if a fiscal impact were to result, funds to support the program would be sought through the appropriation process.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2007 (10 Mo.)	FY 2008	FY 2009
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

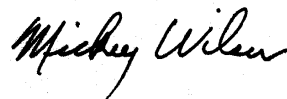
DESCRIPTION

Under this proposal, volunteer licensed health care providers from adjoining states may be deployed to provide health care necessitated by an emergency. Deployed volunteers will not be liable for civil damages for acts or omissions other than damages occasioned by willful or wanton acts or omissions.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of State Courts Administrator
Department of Social Services
Department of Public Safety -
Director's Office
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Department of Mental Health
Department of Health and Senior Services



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