

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE

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SENATE, No. 3275

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
220th LEGISLATURE

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SUMMARY

- Synopsis:** Requires establishment of new State website with information on rights related to, and health benefits coverage for, reproductive health care services.
- Type of Impact:** One-time State expenditure increase.
- Agencies Affected:** Department of Health, Department of Banking and Insurance, Department of Human Services, and Department of the Treasury.

Office of Legislative Services Estimate

Fiscal Impact	<u>One-Time</u>
State Expenditure Increase	Up to \$75,000

- The Office of Legislative Services (OLS) estimates that the provisions of this bill will result in a one-time outlay of State resources of up to \$75,000 in order to design and establish a new website, as described under the bill. To the extent that the website is created by a third party contractor, the cost of the bill will be closer to \$75,000; to the extent that the website is created by existing State employees, the cost will be lower. This estimate assumes that existing staff will perform the ongoing maintenance of the website; and therefore any cost of the bill beyond the creation of the website will be absorbed into the State’s existing budget.

BILL DESCRIPTION

The bill requires that, no later than 180 days after the effective date of the bill, the Department of Health, the Department of Banking and Insurance, the Department of Human Services, and the Department of the Treasury jointly establish a State website providing comprehensive information on reproductive rights under federal and State law, as well as information concerning health benefits coverage for reproductive health care services. The website is required to have a unique uniform resource locator (URL) and be separate from the Internet websites of the involved State departments. The information provided on the Internet website is to be made available in the 10

languages most commonly spoken in New Jersey. At the discretion of the commissioners and the State Treasurer, the information may be made available in additional languages.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

None received.

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

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This legislative fiscal estimate has been produced by the Office of Legislative Services due to the failure of the Executive Branch to respond to our request for a fiscal note.

This fiscal estimate has been prepared pursuant to P.L.1980, c.67 (C.52:13B-6 et seq.).