

FISCAL NOTE
 LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES *				
	FY 2010-11		FY 2011-12	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS	See below		See below	

*Does not include any impact on political subdivisions. See narrative for political subdivision estimates.

This bill establishes the Abortion Pain Prevention Act. It prohibits any person from performing, inducing or attempting to perform or induce an abortion upon a woman when the probable gestational age of the woman's unborn child is twenty or more weeks unless, in reasonable medical judgment, she has a condition which so complicates her medical condition as to necessitate the abortion of her pregnancy to avert her death or to avert serious risk of substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function. Any physician who performs or induces or attempts to perform or induce an abortion shall report to the Department of Health and Human Services on a schedule and in accordance with the forms and rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the department. The department is required to issue an annual statistical report.

The department estimates this would increase workload by one-tenth of a licensing investigator. This can be absorbed within existing staff resources. Depending on the number of violations of the prohibition contained in this bill, there may be additional costs relating to legal proceedings, such as expert witness fees. Minor costs would be incurred for public hearing costs and developing the required form.