

Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement

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ORIGINAL

Bill Number: SB207S2

Patron: Pekarsky

Bill Title: SUDP; Office of Chief Medical Examiner, protocol in referring cases involving manner of death, etc.

Bill Summary: The provisions of this legislation, as amended in the nature of a substitute, provide that the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner (OCME) shall assess the feasibility of implementing and administering a protocol whereby the Office refers cases involving a manner of death consistent with SUDEP to public or private institutions and publishes resources with information on SUDEP on its website.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No

Items Impacted: None

Fiscal Summary: Minimal fiscal impact.

Fiscal Analysis: Any increase in workload for OCME to assess the feasibility of and develop cost estimates for implementing and administering a protocol to refer cases involving a manner of death consistent with SUDEP to public or private institutions and publish resources with information on SUDEP on its website can be handled within existing resources.

Other: None