## **BILL ANALYSIS**

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## **DIGEST AND PURPOSE**

C.S.S.B. 1392 sets forth regulations concerning the transfer of a distressed device.

## **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

## **SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS**

SECTION 1. Amends Chapter 432, Health and Safety Code, by adding Section 432.0045, as follows:

Sec. 432.0045. INAPPLICABILITY TO CERTAIN TRANSFERS. (a) Defines "hospital."

- (b) Provides that, subject to Subsection (c), this chapter does not apply to certain transfers of a distressed device.
- (c) Requires a person, including a hospital, making a transfer under Subsection (b) to provide an appropriate disclosure regarding the condition of the distressed device to the recipient of the distressed device. Defines "appropriate disclosure."

SECTION 2. Effective date: September 1, 2003.