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TO: Honorable Jane Nelson, Chair, Senate Committee on Health & Human Services

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB24 by Nelson (Relating to certain health care services provided through telemedicine or telehealth under the state Medicaid program.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The Health and Human Services Commission indicates that any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed within the agency's existing resources.

The bill would take effect immediately upon receiving a vote of two-thirds of all members elected to each house or otherwise on September 1, 2007.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 529 Health and Human Services Commission

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